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Hart Suspends Campaigning, Saying His Family Comes First



Gary Hart .

Ex-Chairman Of Guinness Is Arrested

By Warren Getler LONDON - Ernest W. Saunders, the former chairman of Guinness PLC and one of Britain's most prominent executives, was charged Thursday with attempting to obstruct justice and with de-stroying and falsifying documents during an official inquiry into Guinness's takeover of Distillers

Mr. Saunders, who was charged by the police Thursday morning after being arrested at his lawyer's London office late Wednesday, was released into the custody of his lawyer pending payment early next week of bail of £500,000

Mr. Saunders, 51, was arraigned before a London magistrate after being held overnight in a local police station. He had arrived in London on Monday from Switzerland, where he is said to have been receiving medical attention.

His arrest came amid an official . Britain's Department of Trade and Industry into alleged operations to illegally boost Guinness' share price during the company's successful effort to acquire Distillers

The £2.7 billion takeover was the largest ever in Britain.

Magistrate Geoffrey Bream also ordered Mr. Saunders on Thursday from applying for any travel docu- ish democracy, put the country's the vague charges of the intelligencontact any current or past em- brought it into the European Com- of the working class as the growing The Austrian-born executive,

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Kiosk Plot to Murder Ortega Detailed

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WASHINGTON (UPI) -Two rightist extremists in Oklahoma were indicted in Tulsa on Thursday for conspiring to kill the president of Nicaragua. Daniel Ortega Saavedra, the Justice Department has an-

Donneii Howard and John Norris are accused of recruiting individuals with military backgrounds" to help them, according to the indictment unsealed Thursday, Mr. Norris has been arrested, but Mr. Howard re-



The 900th anniversary of the death of William the Conqueror is being commemorated in Caen, his burial place in Normandy. Travel, Page 9.

GENERAL NEWS

■ ln a Philippines village, homemade guns are a cottage ■ The U.S. Senate has passed a

budget calling for \$18 billion in new taxes and a hold on military spending.

Dow close: down 7.53 The dollar in New York: DM £ Yen 1.779 1.6785 139.20 5.9515

Friday Announcement Scheduled; TV Network Says He Will Give Up

Compiled by Our Staff From Disperches In Iowa, where caucuses in Janu-DENVER — Gary Hart, his ary begin the process of selecting presidential campaign crippled by delegates to the party's national questions about his weekend with a convention, some Democrats said young woman, abruptly called off a they believed Mr. Hart would evencampaign swing Thursday and tually drop out of the race.
went home with his wife "to take a Arthur Davis, a former

ABC News reported that sources in Mr. Hart's staff said he would abandon his campaign Friday will eventually show that."

Kathy Bitzer, spokeswoman for ment on Friday morning at his Colorado home. Asked whether he would withdraw from the race Fri-day, she said, "We don't know

In a statement released earlier by his staff in Groveton, New Hamp-shire, Mr. Hart, the leading candidate for the Democratic presiden-tial nomination, said that "while tial nomination, said that "while It's more than a campaign for of-running for president is important, fice, for thousands of people right now my family is more impor-around the country, it's a crusade

His decision came as his campaign was struck with renewed paign was struck with renewed believe I am — it really doesn't matter if the leader is struck down ing public favor in key states. Some in battle or with a knife in the back politicians said they doubted that Mr. Hart could still conduct a successful campaign.

Mr. Hart cut short a swing through New Hampshire, the state in The Miami Herald that he had with the first 1988 presidential primary, and flew to Denver with his ton town house with Donna Rice, wife, Lee, to be with the rest of his 29, an actress, model and pharma-

Campaign officials in New Hampshire had said that the campaign would resume.

ideals and ideas it represents will continue, and our cause will suc-

Mr. Sweeney said that Mr. Hart and his family were taking "a few get into some fairly fine defini-days or a few weeks to be together."

important," Mr. Hart's statement standing with his wife about whethsaid, "right now my family is more er he could see other women. He

Arthur Davis, a former party few days, or a few weeks, to be state chairman, said: "I had reached the conclusion that Gary Hart could not be elected president. I think his own assessment

Ed Campbell, another former Mr. Hart's Denver office, said Mr. state Democratic chairman, said, When you drop out like this, any momentum you've got is gone." In a speech at a New York City fund-raiser Tuesday night, Mr. Hart faced the possibility of an end

> "Whoever wishes to attack me is fundamentally missing the point."
>
> Mr. Hart said. "This is not just a political race. It is really a cause to move this nation forward.

"If I'm rìght about that — and I

Mr. Hart, 50, has denied reports spent Friday night in his Washing-29, an actress, model and pharma-centical sales representative from Africa's Parliament, while the gov-

Mr. Hart, who had said Tuesday that he had done nothing "immor-al" with Ms. Rice, was asked about A spokesman, Kevin Sweeney, al Will ms. Rice, was a sale ment from Mr. Hart cifically, whether it included adulting the cifically whether it included adulting the cifically. tery. He said it did.

Asked if he had ever committed adultery, he said, "I do not have to answer that question because you

While running for president is He was asked if he had an under-

Jobless Rate Keeps Spain the Conservatives' advocacy of maintaining Afrikaner exclusivism **Uneasy With Socialists**

By Karen DeYoung

MADRID - By most indicators, the Socialist government here to surrender his passport, to refrain is a success. It has stabilized Spanments and to make no attempts to economy solidly in the black and

munity. Yet, barely 10 months after who appeared calm but haggard at Prime Minister Felipe González was re-elected with a wide majority for a second four-year term, many

of his supporters are uneasy. For some, the source of discontent is obvious. Although the economy in Spain is growing faster than most those of the rest of Enrope, with inflation down and investment increasing, part of the price of this success has been an unemployment rate that remains at 22 percent and limits put on wage in-

creases for those with jobs. Union leaders argue that a gov-ernment formed by the Socialist Party should be more dedicated to the welfare of the working class. To make their point, miners and transport workers, doctors and trash collectors have held strikes and slowdowns that frequently have paralyzed the country during the

past two months.
But other Spaniards, many of them close to the government, express a more deep-seated anxiety. With the right fragmented and the far left dominated by the unpopular Communist Party, many young supporters are concerned that the Socialist dominance over the next few years may not help the country develop into a mature de-

The Socialist hegemony over Spanish politics, critics said, has made the party insulated and arrogant, ignorant of the depth of

research organization. "They don't seem to pay the price for anything they do, politically speaking. They get away with almost everything."

Polis taken separately last month by Madrid's leading newspaper, El Pais, and the magazine Cambio 16 illustrate the point. Both polls showed that approval of the gov-ernment has fallen sharply from a high at this time last year. The drop was to 19 percent from 32 percent

in the Cambio 16 poll. Yet the same polls showed that more Spaniards than ever were willing to vote for the Socialists.

for it anyway."

Juan Luis Cebrián, "but they vote

pains of a young democracy.

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the bottom line, both in the polling booth and in the country's balance books. They have dismissed both

WASHINGTON - Major Gen-

eral Richard V. Secord, facing harsh questioning in the third day

of the joint House-Senate hearings

on the Iran-contra affair, objected

Thursday to inquiries about his

role in handling profits of U.S.

President Ronald Reagan, ques-

tioned at a White House ceremony

on Thursday, denied the substance

of the first two days of General

Second's restimony. He again de-

nied he knew of the diversion of

profits from the U.S. sale of arms

to Iran and the diversion of some

known as contras, as General Se-

The retired air force officer, who

for two days has answered ques-

tions in a calm manner sometimes

interjected with humor, responded

arms sales to Iran.

cord has maintained.

parliamentary election on Wednes day all but destroyed hopes for peacefully negotiated power-sharing among the races. The Progressive Federal Party, which cam-paigned against apartheid, suffered major setbacks. The results, critics of the government said, mean the debate over social and political reform will now be one between the National Party's concept of cautious adjust-

By William Claiborne

right Conservative Party has in-

erning National Party retained a

large majority and white anti-

apartheid forces were routed, elec-

Black and white anti-apartheid

activists said that the whiles-only

tion results showed Thursday.

creased its support to become the

JOHANNESBURG - The far-

through strict racial separation. The Conservative Party, with almost half as many voters behind it as the National Party, moved in front of the Progressives, 21 seats to 19, to take over the opposition benches in the House of Assembly.

ments to the apartheid system and

the white chamber of Parliament. Under parliamentary procedure, the official opposition positioning important for recognition in motions of no-confidence.

Harsh Questioning Angers Secord;

committee

profits to the Nicaraguan rebels, to be badgered," said General Se-

angrily to sharp questioning by Ar- although he ran the operation and

Reagan Denies He Knew of Funding

Mr. Liman's questioning was

more intense than the exchanges on

George Bush had warm praise for Colonel North, General

Tuesday and Wednesday between

General Second and the House

committee's lawyer, John Nields.

lay out his version of the affair.

who permitted General Secord to

"I didn't voluntarily come here

cord, who testified without the

promise of immunity from prose-

cution, as he faced Mr. Liman's

He maintains that he received no

profits from the arms sales to Iran

barsher questioning.

Secord says. Page 3.

thur Liman, the chief counsel for the special Senate investigating any way he saw fit.

Walsh.

As Anti-Apartheid Group Loses Seats and eight to be appointed by the 15 won 14 seats in Natal against the newly elected members of the assembly, the party appeared assured of increasing its 127-seat majority. The election ally of the Progres-

sives, the new Republican Party. received one seat, a former Nationalist running as an independent won a seat, and one seat remained undecided Thursday night. The National Party won 52 per-

A Conservative Party candidate, C.O. de Jager, swept along by supporters after his victory.

Far-Right Party Gains in South Africa

cent of the vote and the Conservatives 20 percent. The Progressives took 14 percent, or about half their share in the last parliamentary general election, in 1981, The Conservatives, who favor a

return to stricter apartheid laws, increased their representation by only three seats, but their share of the vote rose dramatically in rural and mining areas of the Transvaal and Orange Free State. Denis Worrall, the former am-

hassador to Britain who can as an independent anti-apartneid candidate, lost by 39 votes out of almost 17,000 in the Cape Province district of Helderberg. His opponent was J. Chris Heunis, minister for constitutional development and planning, who is responsible for formulating government policy on apartheid.

The Progressive Party held 27 seats in the previous assembly. The party's decline was most dramatic in Natal Province, where the traditional liberal. English-speaking cofloor debates on major issues and alition collapsed, gaining only half the National Party's total.

When they were first swept to The National Party won 123 of In 1981, the Progressive-New power in the 1982 elections, the the 166 seats contested. With four Republic Party alliance won 13 Socialists had just emerged from other seats to be filled by appointSee SPAIN, Page 2 other seats to be filled by appointment by President Pieter W. Botha ists' 7. This time, the National Par-

General Secord said that \$8 mil-

He also expressed concern over

"We've got a special prosecutor

lion still remaining in Swiss bank

accounts were not profits and that

inquiries by the government's inde-

pendent counsel. Lawrence E.

over here across the street that's

trying to throw all of us in jail for

performing our duty as we saw it."

he said. "I haven't focused on some

technical issue like you're bringing

In his testimony, General Secord

The harsh questioning on Thurs-

repeated his view that he has been

unfairly treated for carrying out the

government's wishes in the Iran-

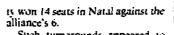
day provoked several protests from General Secord and his attorney.

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up here. This is crazy."

contra affair.

expenses still had to be paid.



Such turnarounds appeared to have shattered the pattern of white politics in South Africa and diluted the effectiveness of the Englishspeaking community in the nationwide anti-apartheid movement, political analysts said.

The electoral swing to the right is being ascribed by most analysis to fears by white voters that racial unrest is increasing.

Because of these fears, the analysts conclude, many longtime National Party supporters turned to Conservative candidates, while many supporters of the Progressive-New Republic alliance turned to the National Party. Also, many Progressives did not vote.

The result, many moderate antiapartheid activists predicted, is likely to be that President Botha's governing parliamentary caucus will take an even harder line on internal security, based on the

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Kohl Signals Opposition to Moscow Offer

By Robert J. McCartney Bashmeton Post Service

BONN - Chancellor Helmut Kohl signaled Thursday that his government was leaning against accepting a Soviet proposal to bar an entire class of short-range nuclear missiles from Europe.

In a speech to the Bundestag. Mr. Kohl clearly indicated his overall opposition to the Soviet offer by reaffirming a government call for "equal ceilings at a low level" for short-range missiles.

That implies that some Soviet short-range missiles should remain in Europe and that the United States should retain the right to deploy new ones to match the Soviet arsenal, government and politi-

cal sources said.

Mr. Kohl said that West Germany would decide on its final position only after consulting its allies. West German officials and political leaders are to discuss the issue next week on visits to the United

States, Britain and France. He also said that West Germany could not reach a firm conclusion until Moscow presents a written proposal on the short-range mis-siles under discussion, which are

those with ranges of 300 to 600 miles (500 to 1,000 kilometers). So far the Kremlin has only decribed its stance orally, and Mr. Kohl said that the Soviet Union had been vague and contradictory

about certain important details. The Soviet Union has proposed to bar such missiles in Europe. The U.S. secretary of state. George P. Shultz, has expressed support for

Moscow's offer. The chancellor's center-right coalition is deeply divided over the

Foreign Minister Hans-Dietrich Genscher, whose Free Democratic Party supports the Soviet proposal, sought to prevent Mr. Kohl from restating government support for

'equal ceilings," the sources said. They said Mr. Kohl's Christian Democratic Union and its sister party, the Christian Social Union. insisted that the statement be included in Mr. Kohl's speech. The two conservative parties

want to retain a U.S. "right to match" Soviet arsenals of shortrange weapons as a bargaining chip for future arms talks.

The sources noted, however, that Mr. Kohl had not specifically ruled out accepting the Soviet proposal. because the "equal ceilings" could be zero on each side.

"He has worded it so that the Free Democrats can just barely live with it," one official said.

West German indecisiveness over short-range missiles is one of the principal obstacles to progress on a U.S.-Soviet accord to remove medium-range missiles from Europe. Medium-range missiles have

ranges of 600 to 3,500 miles.

Mr. Kohl and the conservative See KOHL, Page 2

Vote Decision **Dominates** U.K. Politics

By Howell Raines New York Times Service

LONDON - With the approach of a long weekend of electoral activity and political calculation, an anticipatory hubbub known as hold all over Britain. A state of giddy anticipation has gripped the press and put the members of the House of Commons to acting like schoolchildren.

On Tuesday, when Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher was trying to speak, the uproar grew so loud that the speaker, Bernard Wetherill, a laconic man, was moved to expand his customary one-word ut-

"Order," Mr. Wetherill began as usual. Then he threw away the script and resorted to pleading 'Can we have less euphoria and

more listening?" The answer seemed to be no. On Thursday, 10 million or more voters began casting votes in local elections for 12,000 seats on 139 district councils. Mrs. Thatcher's advisers say the outcome of these elections will be the final factor in determining whether she calls a general election for next month

probably on June 11. On Friday, Mrs. Thatcher will receive computer analyses projecting the likely outcome of a general election on the basis of the votes cast nationwide in the local races. She will also have fresh publicopinion polls to round out the picture, since Scotland and most of London will not be holding local elections.

Then on Sunday Mrs. Thatcher will meet with her political advisers. If she decides to call the election, she will probably follow the pattern established in 1983. That would mean keeping the decision to herself until Monday afternoon, when she would visit Queen Elizabeth II at Buckingham Palace and request dissolution of Parliament.

in analyzing the local election results, experts say, Mrs. Thatcher will be less interested in the number of district seats each party wins than in the total nationwide vote and the computer projections based on it.

John Curtice, a University of Liverpool professor who studies British voting habits, said, "What she should be looking for is that her national opinion poll percentage is confirmed - that the Conservatives are running at 41 or 42 percent of the vote and 10 to 12 points ahead of Labor." In 1983 the local elections turned

prospects for the general election. The Conservatives got 40 percent of the vote nationwide in the local election in early May and went on to get 42.4 percent of the vote in the general election on June 9. According to Conservative Party figures, the Tories now hold more

than 5,000 local government seats

out to be a good indicator of Tory

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"They have a strong government, an absolute majority, and they despise almost everybody," said Jose Vareta Ortega, deputy director of the Ortega, deputy di

New York Times Service

NEW YORK - By the time the bomb squad burst into the Manhattan headquarters of Planned Parenthood on Dec. 14, the carpet was on fire and the air clouded by smoke. In the waiting room for abortion patients, the police officers discovered the convinced Mr. Malvasi to give up. What remains of an exploded incendiary device convinced him was a televised appeal by and a full-scale bomb, capable of being ignited at any moment by the heat. When an officer defuly snipped the wires, the threat was over, and the investigation was about to begin. With 15 sticks of dynamite, the bomb

was powerful enough to have collapsed the front of the building and to have shattered

led to Dennis John Malvasi. In late Februtives drawing closer, Mr. Malvasi surren- most severe of the 59 cases recorded nadered to face charges of bombing four abortion clinics. But the law alone had not Cardinal John J. O'Connor, the archbishop

"People don't like the govern-ment," said the editor of El Pais. windows a quarter of a mile away, or about and ocean liner. Along the way, he develand battlefield, theater and shrine, prison erans. half a kilometer. With a blasting cap, timer oped disguises and aliases.

dynamite, caught the officers's eyes: a him 90 years in prison. He has pleaded not medal of St. Benedict.

him 90 years in prison. He has pleaded not guilty, but friends say he is considering a speaks of abortion, he frames it in military.

The four abortion clinic bombings of tionally since 1982, federal agents say. They were not the work of an amateur with gasoline and matches, as is the usual scenario, but of a professional capable of locating and assembling high explosives. Mr. Malvasi's case, then, opens a win-

So concluded an urgent manhunt, and so dow on the most extreme elements of the emerged the story of Mr. Malvasi — vicum anti-abortion movement, where the mixdow on the most extreme elements of the and victimizer, criminal and patriot, reli-ture of piety and rage endangers life in the Joseph Home, a Roman Catholic orphangious zealot and master dissembler. Mr. name of saving it. It also offers a glimpse age in Peekskill, New York.

Malvasi's path coursed through orphanage into the fraternity of Vietnam combat vet-Should Mr. Malvasi come to trial in U.S.

District Court in Manhattan as scheduled for it anyway."

and battery, the bomb showed its architect
Although Mr. Cebrián called the
to be someone of sophistication. And one
Correctional Center, held without bail on
on whether his wartime experience warped Attriough for Component, nestled amid the sticks of an 11-count indictment that could bring him to the point of insanity. What is all hatred.

ary, with 300 federal agents and city detec- which he stands accused are among the York state was nothing more than the dissi- whites used to beat me up, too, because pation of the black and Puerto Rican pop- they thought I was Puerto Rican. The ulace," he said in an interview. "That's whole neighborhood was brutal." where most of the kills were."

Mr. Malvasi was born Jan. 18, 1950, the seventh child of Jenny Malvasi. His mother placed most of her 12 children in the St.

There Dennis lived for 12 of his first 14 years, until Mrs. Malvasi brought him to her home in the East New York section of always took heavy fire, because he provid-Brooklyn. The neighborhood, abruptly ed the single link to air support or evacuashifting from white to black and working tion aid and because his position was beclass to slum, was a cauldron of racial

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Malvasi said. "I content to East New York from a speaks of abortion, he frames it in military home run by Christians was a shock," Mr. Malvasi said, "I constantly caught beatings "History will show that abortion in New from black people for no reason. The

> Then he saw escape in the form of a In Vietnam parlance, "dissipate" is the werb for kill, and "kill" the noun for fatalito a U.S. Marine Corps recruiting station

The 27th Marine regiment, Mr. Malvasi's regiment, was deposited into Vietnam in the vicious aftermath of the Ter offen-

As a field radio operator, Mr. Malvasi



Jews Honor Wallenberg

Edgar M. Bronfman. president of the World Jewish Congress, led a ceremony at the statue of Raoul Wallenberg in Budapest on Thursday to honor the Swedish diplomat, who saved thousands of Hungarian Jews in World War II and disappeared in the 1940s while a Soviet prisoner. The Jewish group was meeting in the city.

A villager in Danao, Philippines, making a pistol.

Elections Bolster Philippine Gun-Makers

By Seth Mydans New York Times Service

DANAO, Philippines - In these hard times in the Philippines, Benjamin Barriga is a crafts-

man with a steady trade. On a hand-turned lathe in the pigsty that abuts his thatched home, he makes pistols, some of the 200,000 unregistered and illegal firearms in the Philippines, a heavily armed

With the approach of the national congres sional elections on May I I, the level of violence has risen as expected, although the figures appear to be lower than in past campaigns.

About 40 killings have been reported, includ-ing those of five candidates among the hun-dreds running for office.

General Fidel V. Ramos, the armed forces chief of staff, said this figure was a decrease from the presidential campaign last year, when 156 people were killed.

Military sources said the political campaign had also driven up the price of illegal firearms, which now sell for as much as 18,000 pesos,

nearly \$1,000, for an automatic rifle.

Mr. Barriga, who supports a family of seven with a craft he learned from his father, said he sells his pistols for about 1,500 pesos to middle-men known, in a pun, as stockholders. His wife washed clothes at a nearby pump as he turned his lathe and glanced, for specifica-

tions, at the pages of a lattered gun-collector's magazine balanced on a shelf of the pigsty. At a small variety store beyond the banana trees that shade his house, two young "stock-

holders" displayed some of the products of Mr.

But the illegal industry has the protection of local politicians and is rarely bothered. Mr. Barriga's products, made of locally obtained materials, feed a culture in which pistols, carried in bulging clutch bags, are both a status symbol and an accepted household appliance.

Barriga and his neighbors and kept watch for

Danao's guns supply a culture in which they are both a status symbol and an accepted household appliance.

"If you go into any home, you can find a firearm." Defense Minister Rafael Ileto said

He said that periodic attempts by the government to disarm the scores of private armies around the country had brought little success.

One of the reasons is that the armed groups are considered useful in keeping one another in check, he said.

In the cities, arguments over traffic accidents re often accompanied by a display of firearms. In rural areas, soldiers are some to weddings to fire off bursts of gunfire in celebration.

Despite the prevalence of firearms, the Communist rebels, who number about 20,000, continue to have some difficulty obtaining them.

learned that they sell medals of St.

Benedict, similar to the one found at Planned Parenthood.

si's outrage about abortion arose

from at least one additional source.

During his months as a fugitive, Mr. Malvasi studied for his para-

medic's license, and one night he

"I remember him opening the

childbirth," Mr. Janiszewski said.

"He said, 'Here's the truth. Look.

This is a life. And then he said how

baby-killers."

book to the part on assisting in sale. In recent court hearings, all

all of us combat vets were called He sniffed out the ruse when an

On Dec. 10, 1985, a tube packed ducer, invited him to audition for a

attack on an abortion clinic in New come in for an unscheduled re-

the Eastern Women's Center, blow- the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco

brought a textbook to Mr. Janis-

Mr. Janiszewski said Mr. Malva-

One of their main tactics is the killing of soldiers or policemen to seize their sidearms. Many of the country's firearms are smuggled

Waldheim Seeks to Sue Jewish Leader Thursday that he had started legal proceedings for slander against Edgar M. Bronfman. president of the World Jewish Congress. Mr. Bronfman in from abroad, and United States officials have expressed concern about a rising traffic to promptly dismissed the action as not serious.

A spokesman for Mr. Waldheim said the Vienna public prosecutor's

Mr. Barriga is one of about 3.000 gummakers who provide a livelihood, directly or indirectly. for 60 percent of the residents of Danao. a coastal town on the central island of Cebu.

Gunmaking started in Danao in 1901, when a Philippine soldier returned from an American ordnance school and began turning out bronze

The craft has been handed down through the generations. Ramonito Duterte, 30, said he had been making guns since he was 13 at the rate of a gun a week. He learned the trade from his father wheek.

father, who is now retired. Gunsmiths in Danao are now able to pr duce sophisticated copies of American and European pistols, complete with nickel or silver plate and counterfeit brand markings.

The gunsmiths say that on their rough ma-chines they have invented a 5.56-millimeter revolver able to fire Armalite bullets, the most widely available ammunition.

Danao has begun to gain an international reputation, according to local officials, with the Japanese underworld now said to be one of its main clients.

The Danao weapons are made of inferior materials and have a shorter life than factoryproduced guns, but their makers say they are popular for their lower price and absence of traceable serial numbers.

Pennsylvania, near Wilkes-Barre.

They arrested Carl Cenera, Donald

Pryor Jr. and Frank Wright, who

was Mr. Malvasi's former brother-

in-law, for supplying the felon with

dynamite and not recording the

three pleaded guilty.
As for Mr. Malvasi, he narrowly

evaded federal agents several times.

agent, posing as a Hollywood pro-

France Agrees to Aid Northern Chad

PARIS (AP) — France has agreed to provide humanitarian and logistical aid to northern Chad, which was recently retaken from Libya, a

WORLD BRIEFS

VIENNA (Reuters) - President Kurt Waldheim of Austria said

office had been empowered to start proceedings against Mr. Bronfman.

who described Mr. Waldheim on Tuesday as "part of the Nazi killing machine." Told of Mr. Waldheim's action, Mr. Bronfman said: "I don't take it seriously. I don't take him as a human being seriously. I take

Mr. Waldheim's move follows a yearlong campaign against him by the

World Jewish Congress, which accuses him of involvement in war crimes. It also comes a week after a decision by the U.S. Justice Department to

Bulgarian Party Paper Backs Strikers

BELGRADE (Reuters) — Bulgaria's Communist Party newspaper has rinted what is believed to be the first public account of a strike there and

has sided with the strikers, Western diplomatic sources said Thursday in.

The newspaper Rabotnichesko Delo reported that a 12-man work brigade in a machine factory at Mezdra, northeast of Sofia, struck for a

week in March, the sources said during telephone interviews from Belgrade. They said it was believed to be the first time the Bulgarian

The newspaper said the strike was caused by a dispute between workers and management over reduced pay, following a cut in the price of the

workshop's products. The paper criticized the "conduct of leading executives who were insensitive" to workers' interests. "We cannot agree

with the manager's view that the strike was only a whim of persons who

bar him from entering the United States as a private citizen.

public had been officially informed of a strike.

did not feel like working," it said.

Rugaret

government spokesman said Thursday.

Denis Bandouin, a spokesman for Prime Minister Jacques Chirac, said

Denis Bandouin, a spokesman for Prime Minister Jacques Chirac, said there was no longer a need to maintain the 16th parallel as a demarcation line between the government-held south and the north. The north had been off-limits to French troops.

The forces of President Hissene Habre retook most of northern Chad cused of bombing. They also photographs of every licensed pyr-learned that they sell medals of St. otechnician in New York and

Pennsylvania. There they located in March. France has 2,500 troops stationed in southern Chad, but they Albert Alfano." And "Albert Aldid not participate directly in the fighting and were kept below the 16th fano" pointed to Dennis Malvasi. parallel. Chad had been asking France to cross the line to provide aid. The agents traced the unexploded dynamite to Harveys Lake,

For the Record

Two of the four young men shot in a New York subway by Bernhard H. Goetz in 1984 have refused to testify at Mr. Goetz's trial in New York. Barry Allen refused to testify on Wednesday, citing his rights against selfincrimination. James Ramseur refused to testify on Tuesday as a protest of his conviction for a rape he says he did not commit.

TRAVEL UPDATE

U.S. Air Control System Is Assailed

WASHINGTON (AP) - Frank R. Lautenberg, chairman of the Senate Appropriations subcommittee on transportation said Thurs-York City history.

On Oct. 29, 1986, a bomb with a suspicious, called back. He identi-half-stick of dynamite exploded at fied himself as an inspector with prove the nation's air control system in the face of increasing colli-

sions, controller errors, and delays. agents were still there. At the word The New Jersey Democrat said "yes," he hung up.
A few weeks later, on Feb. 23, at a hearing that the government was "going to have to recognize that we are behind." Donald D. vised plea. The next day, Mr. Mal-Engen, head of the Federal Avia-Then, on Dec. 14, police officers vasi surrendered. Why had he tion Administration, testified that air travel problems last year were caused by an increased number of passengers, growing airline compe-tition and an unusual amount of from prison recently. "If the Cardi-

bad weather. listen, then when you stand before He conceded that operational erthe magistrate in the celestial court, rors at control centers had increased 7 percent during the six months from October through March over the same period a year earlier. But he said the government has taken "aggressive actions" to reverse that trend, including the



Donald D. Engen

BOMB: Suspect in Violent Campaign Against Abortion in New York: A Portrait of One Man's Piety and Rage In his furtive new life, Mr. Mal- abortion clinics Mr. Malvasi is ac- Then they compared it to the 6,000

(Continued from Page I) bunker. He both feared and sa-

vored the role. One part of Mr. Malvasi was afraid, almost certain, that "I'd never see America again." Another part, however, enjoyed a perverse

"I felt really alive, really wanted. The baddest people I knew were in front and they came shooting at me. I felt kind of honored."

Shortly after his discharge in May 1970, Mr. Malvasi answered an advertisement for acting workshops and appeared at a storefront on Manhattan's Lower East Side. There he met Linda Mussmann, his Pygmalion. She was an Indiana farm girl with enough naïveté to open a theater on Avenue A in the East Village in the midst of the heroin epidemic there. He was a street punk with an untapped dramatic brilliance.

He auditioned with a scene from "Waiting for Godot," and cured himself of his Brooklyn accent by mimicking the director's prairieflat tones. He went on to act in full productions of Shaw, Ibsen, Pinter

"There was an honesty about him that was extraordinary, and an ability to take big chances." Ms. Mussmann said. "There was a vulnerability and an openness. The guy was a genius."

The stage appealed to Mr. Malvasi for some unorthodox reasons. "It kept me in balance," he said. "I was hanging around with some very dangerous people in Brooklyn and then I was with these actors. and neither knew about the other. I could walk on the wild side and

loss of 400 to 500 district seats by

her party would not deter Mrs.

Thatcher if the nationwide vote-

any result unless they lose a thou-

sand local council seats," he said, in

a remark suggesting that the prime

minister herself is not immune to

the prevailing eagerness. "They'll

be watching the total vote figure."

But Mrs. Thatcher will have to

look at the opinion polls, too. In

the 1983 general election, she and

her party went into the campaign at

47 percent in the polls, but their

actual vote was almost five points

lower. This year, with her poll

shortfall could endanger Mrs.

Thatcher's majority in Parliament,

By law, a minimum of 17 work-

call for an election and the voting.

This means Mrs. Thatcher could

an election on June 11, the date measure.

standing in the low 40s. a sin

now 393 of 650 seats.

"I think they will go with almost

were in the right range.

then go into the theater like I was later "John Staddon." He worked

his two worlds began to dissolve. rested after both stabbing and be- uted it to an actor's eccentricity. ing stabbed by a man in a traffic A few did know that Mr. Malvasi Janiszewski, a Vietnam veteran.

streets, it was with a gun.

In November 1975, two months after being released early from pro-bation, Mr. Malvasi was arrested again, for carrying a loaded .25-caliber pistol. Convicted on a reduced charge of attempted criminal possession of a weapon, his second felony, Mr. Malvasi entered the Great Meadow Correctional Facility in Comstock, New York, for two

To the members of the fledgling Between acting stints on a cruise Vietnam Veterans Ensemble Theship based in Florida, Mr. Malvasi ater Company, the newcomer drove to Fort Lauderdale, where a named Dennis Malvasi was just anfriend from his second tour in Vietother guy getting his life back to- nam had settled.

his first show with the veterans'

ing the classic symptoms of "elec-

servative member of Parliament

and a constitutional historian, said

'election fever" is a time-honored

term for a mood that brings work

to a halt in Parliament. Twice in

Senate Seeks a Residence

WASHINGTON - The Senate

Foreign Relations Committee has

voted to establish an official resi-

dence for future secretaries of state.

Only presidents and vice presidents

In an 8-7 vote Wednesday that

cut across party lines, the Senate

approved a bill that would require

raised from private sources. The

House of Representatives and the

have them now.

ing days must elapse between the the home to be paid for with money

wait as late as May 15 and still have president must also approve the

COLLECTOR'S

ITEM

For Secretaries of State

Norman St. John-Stevas, a Con-

tion fever."

BRITAIN: Voters Go to Polls, Parliament Goes to Pieces SPAIN:

down a Parliament that is display- knocking on doors," he said. "They

paralysis.

can't wait to get away."

cians, grinds down, too.

He added that the bureaucracy

taking its signal from the politi-

"One can't get anything out of a civil servant right now," Mr. St. John-Stevas said. "They may have

a new master, either from the same

party or a new party. They think

might bind the new person coming

in, so they sit and do nothing. It's

The House of Commons, of

course, is always slightly rowdy.

But the fever brings with it a shift

in the tone, decibel level and deco-

rum of parliamentary debate. Wit-

ty interruptions give way to hoots

"People become a lot more irrita-

ble and bad tempered," said David

Alton, the chief whip for the Liber-

al Party. "And the number of pro-

fanities and abuse increase by the

day. The Speaker of the House de-

scribed it as euphoria yesterday, but it sounded more like bedlam to

Philadelphia Charges 2

In Construction Fraud

PHILADELPHIA - Two con-

tractors have been charged with

stealing \$208,112 in city funds

while they were rebuilding 61

homes destroyed by fire in the inci-

Mayor W. Wilson Goode and

other city officials were largely to

blame for allowing the thefts to

happen, a local grand jury said.

One contractor, Ernest Edwards,

was charged with nine instances of

theft or attempted theft. His asso-ciate, Oscar Harris, was charged in

one theft. In addition, Mr. Ed-

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wards was charged with perjury.

and shouts. Cacophony rules.

they can't take any decisions that cy of the Franco years.

In September 1972, he was ar- better explanation, friends attrib-

altercation. He pleaded guilty to was, in Mr. Cooner's phrase, "exsecond-degree assault, a felony, tra-legal" — not in big ways, but of Mr. Malvasi's strong and conser-and was sentenced to five years more as a challenge to the system. valive Catholicism. Mr. Janis-Once Mr. Malvasi had to pay off a zewski shared it. The following year, he was series of parking tickets to renew jumped by three men on his way his driver's license. He drew a monhome from a rehearsal and severely ey order for the licensing fee, but stabbed. When he returned to the deliberately wrote a bad check for

tivities turned serious in May 1984. speak through her.

in a mail room as "Dennis Stad- vasi received telephone calls by Then the membrane separating don." His driver's license was for beeper, collected his mail at several is two worlds began to dissolve. "Dennis Staniloff." For lack of a bars and "lived out of a sea bag." One of the friends who put him up from time to time was Edmund HL While most friends did not know

He also introduced Mr. Malvasi

to Our Lady of the Roses, a rene- zewski's apartment. gade movement led by Veronica Leuken, a Long Island housewife who claims that the Virgin Mary Mr. Malvasi's "extra-legal" ac- and Jesus Christ appear to and

Dennis Malvasi's path coursed through orphanage and battlefield, theater and shrine, prison and ocean liner.

With a driver's license for "Den-Offstage, Mr. Malvasi earned a nis John Staddon," Mr. Malvasi reputation for intense loyalty to his ordered 20, 25-caliber Raven pistols from a Florida firearms mer-At the same time, most of Mr. chant. The clerk alerted the Federal Malvasi's friends noticed some Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and quirks. Solicitous of others, he Firearms. When Mr. Malvasi re-shielded his private life. When it turned to pick up the guns, an un-

came to discussing Vietnam, his dercover agent was there. attitude ranged from indifference to sarcasm.

dercover agent was there.

On March 13, 1985, a grand jury in U.S. District Court in Miami Then there were the names. After indicted Mr. Malvasi on six weapons felonies and issued a warrant company, Mr. Malvasi changed his for his arrest. For the first time, he stage name to "Albert Alfano" and

lyn has investigated her claims, de-half-stick of dynamite exploded at fied himself as an inspector with clared them groundless, and denounced the movement, ing out the windows and blasting a and Firearms and asked if his Nonetheless Mrs. Lueken has an hole in the wall. Two weeks later, estimated 60,000 followers in on Nov. 11, an anonymous caller

quently said, is "the foulest of sa- fice in Queens. crileges." In May 1986, she told a crowd that Jesus was saying to her: defused the bomb in Planned Par-"We cannot tolerate the murders of enthood's offices. And in it, of "Cardinal O'Connor is a prince We cannot tolerate the murders of enthood's offices. And in it, of the unborn. This is a sacrilege of course, they found the dynamite of the church," Mr. Malvasi said the most foul manner in the eyes of and the religious medal. the Eternal Father, and shall be punishable by death."

Center in Manhattan, one of the ed a composite sketch of a suspect, ing mad at me."

found was a country in the depths

of recession, burdened with the de-

In the 1960s and 1970s, Spain

enjoyed an extremely high growth

rate, with major capital-intensive

development in steel, textiles and

shipbuilding. Interest rates were

But since there were "no services.

controlled, and money was cheap.

was underequipped, the govern-ment had a surplus," said Jorge

Hay, chief economist with Banco

Hispano-Americano. Much of the

money was spent on unrealistically

Spain historically is behind the

Western economic curve. The in-

ternational disaster that resulted

from the increases in oil prices

starting in 1973 did not hit Spain

until after Franco's death.

more than 30 percent a year.

until the economy stabilized.

and obtained the unions' agree-

ment to hold wage increases down

policy was working. Spain's econo-

my grew at the rate of 3 percent.

higher than most of the rest of

By last year, it was clear that the

The government did not borrow.

with explosive powder burst into movie about Vietnam. Another flame in the unoccupied men's time, Mr. Malvasi's boss at Radio bathroom of the Manhattan Wom- City Music Hall, where he was a en's Medical Center. It was the first staff paramedic, telephoned him to The Catholic Diocese of Brook-

directed the police to an unexplod-North America. ed bomb in a women's medical of- Cardinal O'Connor made his tele-Abortion, Mrs. Leuken has fre-Three hundred federal agents nal says something and you don't

and city detectives were now on the Federal agents found that for case, working around the clock. several years the movement has Relying on several witnesses to you got problems. And I got picketed the Eastern Women's the bombings, federal agents creat- chough problems without God be-

(Continued from Page 1)

to slightly over 3,000 for Labor. Robert J. Waller of Harris Research, who conducts polls for the Conservatives, said that even the Conservatives are conservatives are down a Parliament that is display.

In a conservative members of Parliament.

She is not required to call an election until July 1988. But that opens up the problem of cooling to their constituencies and start to the constituencies and start to their constituencies and start to the constituencies and start to their constituencies and start to the constituency of the consti ness under the dictatorship of Germany, as NATO's frontline Francisco Franco. Expectations state, uniquely vulnerable to use of were high that the youthful party "tactical" or "battlefield" nuclear leaders would turn Spain leftward missiles with ranges of less than

toward modern European social- 300 miles. so-called "double-zero option,"

But what the new government **SECORD:** cline and decay that were the lega-

Harsh Questioning

(Continued from Page 1)

After the morning session, Gen-

version of funds to the contras. He said one of his aides at the

center of the affair, Lieutenant Colonel Oliver L. North, indicated he had mentioned the diversion to Mr. He said that Rear Admiral John

By that time, the transition governments were more interested in political stability than in fiscal readjustments. For several years the rebels was banned by Congress. economy held on, but when the second oil price shock hit in 1981. Mr. Reagan's national security adthere was little any government could do. Unemployment, which

Meese 3d in November. Mr. Reagan issued a stern denial Mr. González opted for austerity

on Thursday of the substance of General Secord's testimony.

"I did not know about it," the president added, "and I'm still Europe. Investment was up 12 perwaiting to know: Where did that money go?"

KOHL: Soviet Offer Called Vague

would be too big a step toward

They also are worried that the

on short-range missiles. Mr. Genscher was hoping that

Thomas Green. "I don't think you should harass him," Mr. Green said at one point.

eral Secord said he thought he was education was bad and the army treated "very unfairly, and obviously harassed."

On Wednesday, General Second addressed for the first time since the hearings opened what Mr. Reagan may have known about the

M. Poindexter, a second key aide, told him that Mr. Reagan was pleased with his work during the time that U.S. military aid to the Admiral Poindexter resigned as

viser and Colonel North was dismissed from the National Security stood at 6.3 percent in 1977, shot Council when the affair was made dent involving the radical group up to nearly the 22 percent level Move in May 1985. up to nearly the 22 percent level where it is today. Inflation rose to public by Attorney General Edwin

"I did not know that there was

any excess money until that day — the day that Ed Meese came in and said he had found a memo that indicated there was additional money," Mr. Reagan said.

cent and the government has hopes of bringing inflation down to 5 per-

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hiring of more controllers. providing for removal of mediumrange and short-range missiles,

eliminating nuclear weapons. Bonn believes nuclear wea are needed as a deterrent in view of Warsaw Pact superiority in conventional forces.

Mr. Kohl's speech was viewed as veiled plea to the United States. the European allies and the Soviet Union to work out an agreement that would allow for accord this year on a medium-range treaty while satisfying the West Germans flights, beginning Saturday.

the United States and other members of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, especially Britain, would pressure Bonn to embrace the Soviet offer, officials said.

Mr. Genscher will visit the United States on Monday and meet with Mr. Shuitz. The United States has said that it is waiting to hear from the Europe-

ans before committing itself on the Soviet proposal, but U.S. officials have expressed concern that West German objections might make it harder to conclude.

In other consultations, two topranking Christian Democratic deputies. Alfred Dregger and Volker Ruehe, will visit, respectively, Paris and London next week. Mr. Kohl said Moscow was

sending conflicting signals about whether its proposed short-range missile ban was global or limited to Europe, and whether it covered 72. Pershing-1a short-range nuclear missile launchers based in West

The United States and West Germany want the ban to apply globally, because short-range mis siles are easily transportable and could be readily moved from Soviet Asia to Europe.

■ Decision Before Summer' Denis Baudouin, spokesman for Prime Minister Jacques Chirac of France, said Thursday that the European allies would decide "before summer" what stand to take on the Soviet proposals. United Press International reported from Paris.

Mr. Chirac is scheduled to visit Moscow for two days starting May 14 and is expected to discuss Eurosean disarmament with the Sovier eader, Mikhail S. Gorbachev. Mr. Baudovin said a response to the Soviet proposals could take diverse forms, but consultations

among Europeans will continue

until there is a definition of this

common position, which will have

been maturely reflected." "Neither the Americans nor the Soviets can wait indefinitely for the answer of the Europeans," he said.

Venice Plans to Restrict Bus Parking

VENICE (Reuters) - Operators of bus tours to Venice will have to reserve parking and risk being turned away at peak periods under a system being introduced to reduce congestion from tourists, officials said. Thursday.

The plan, which is expected to take effect next mouth, was drawn up by Mayor Nereo Laroni.

The mayor said Wednesday that bus tour operators would have to reserve places in the city's car park, which has space reserved for about 350 buses. If no space is left, buses without a reservation would be turned

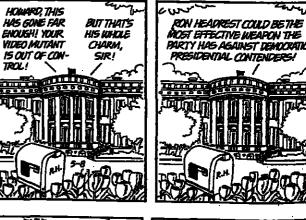
Trans World Airlines announced it would begin selling games, cameras and other products on transcontinental and certain other domestic

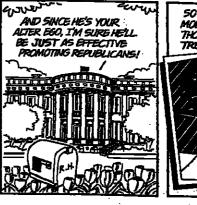
The U.S. Embassy in Manila warned Americans to avoid wide areas of the Philippines — including the Sulu island chain, the Cagayan Valley of northern Luzon, and Mindanao Island except for the cities of Davao, lligan and Cagayan de Oro. It advised "special caution" when visiting six northern and eastern Luzon provinces as well as a wide area of the central Visayas island group because of "relatively high levels of unrest" during the campaign for the May 11 legislative elections.

British civil servants on strike picketed government ministries Thursday, including Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher's office. Passengers arriving at Heathrow Airport near London did not have to undergo customs checks. The civil servants want a raise of 15 percent. (Reuters) Greek civil servants, bank employees and factory workers carried out strikes Thursday, demanding immediate pay raises and an end to the Socialist government's austerity policy. Olympic Airways canceled one international and 14 domestic flights.

The newly refitted liner Queen Elizabeth 2 has run into more problems, and about 200 passengers will not be allowed to sail on its next cruise, from Southampton, England, on Sunday, because their cabins will not be habitable by sailing time.

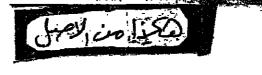
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PRESTIGIOUS; EACH A SIGNATURE PIECE.

By Tom Kenworthy WASHINGTON — The Democratic-controlled Senate, setting the Excise-Tax Option stage for what could be a prolonged confrontation with the Reagan administration, approved on Thursday a \$1 trillion fiscal 1988 budget that calls for \$18.3 billion in new

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The Democratic budget provides no increase for military spending beyond inflation and shields key domestic programs from deep cuts sought by Mr. Reagan. It was approved on a 56-42 vote.

The budget plan must still go to a conference with the House of Representatives, which adopted a budget last month that contains about \$9 billion less in military spending for the 1988 fiscal year.

All 53 Senate Democrats who were present voted for the plan and were joined by three of their liberal Republican colleagues, Lowell P. Weicker Jr. of Connecticut, Robert T. Stafford of Vermont and John H. Chafee of Rhode Island.

Democratic unity on the budget was achieved only after the Budget Committee chairman Lawton Chiles, Democrat of Florida, substantially altered the spending plan narrowly approved by his commit-

The key change was a \$7 bumon addition to military spending for the fiscal year that begins Oct. 1, which will take effect only if Mr. Reagan signs separate legislation raising taxes by \$18.3 billion the first year and \$119 billion over four years. The change would allow Pentagon spending to keep pace with inflation

Also, \$2 billion was added to domestic programs to win the support of liberal Democrats concerned about protecting education, health, veterans' and urban development programs.

Senate Republicans, mindful of the president's repeated vows to and industry groups, tax writers see veto any tax increase, bitterly criticized Democrats for holding the military budget "hostage" to a tax increase and predicted that the White House would eventually win the political war, which could stretch through the summer and

Republicans see the budget vote as only the first skirmish over a spending plan that still must be implemented by separate legisla-tion that the president could veto.

But the dispute over the congressional budget resolution is also part of a larger political battle between the two political parties as they tax increases. head toward the 1988 campaigns.

Even as Democrats were trumpeting their budget as confirmation of their ability to govern with fiscal iar charge that Democrats are the come tax overhaul plan. party of onerous taxation and profligate spending.

The Senate vote on the budget

is a victory for common sense and truth in budgeting," said Robert C. Byrd, Democrat of West Virginia and the Senate majority leader. He said the vote showed "that the Democrats in Congress can manage the nation's business."

out Robert J. Dole P 'A of Kansas, said, "I feel like it's 1980 or 1979 all over again. Here we are adding more spending and raising more taxes, the same thing voters rejected in 1980 and 1984. Here we

Chilean Sentenced In Letelier Case

WASHINGTON - A former member of the Chilean secret police who pleaded guilty to being an accessory after the fact to the car bomb assassination of former Ambassador Orlando Letelier in 1976 was senienced here Wednesday to 27 months to seven years in prison.

Armando Fernández Larios, 37. has implicated President Augusto Pinochet of Chile in an official cover-up of the bombing. Letelier, amador to the United States under President Salvador Allende, was a harsh critic of General Pinochet, who became president after a coup in 1973 which Allende was

The accusations against General Pinochet and two of Mr. Fernández's superior officers of the Chilean secret police, who he said had orchestrated the bombing, have created a major political scandal in go again." Mr. Dole, the Senate minority leader, plans to seek his party's nomination for president.

Gary Klott of The New York Times reported from Washington: Excise taxes have emerged as the only politically palatable option that congressional tax writers see to raise \$18 billion in new revenue to meet the 1988 budget target. Such a move would confront mo-

torists, smokers, drinkers and telephone users with the steepest rise in federal excise taxes ever.

Legislators have dismissed the idea of raising income taxes so soon after last year's overhaul. And in the face of specific threats by President Ronald Reagan to veto any increase in income tax rates, lawmakers say they believe that excise taxes are the only kind that the White House might ultimately ac-

Congress has frequently turned to excise taxes to fill small budget gaps, adding a few pennies to the cost of a pack of cigarettes or a bottle of bourbon to raise a few billion dollars. This year, they are being counted on to raise far more money than that.

Congressional tax writers say they must go after several excise tax targets and squeeze them all much tighter than political considerations would ordinarily permit in order to raise the \$18 billion in new taxes. That is the amount called for by the Senate budget plan and the previously passed House package.

Among the proposals being discussed are a doubling of the ciga-

rette excise tax; an increase in the soline tax of 10 cents a gallon or the introduction of a \$5-a-barrel oil import fee; as much as a 49-cent increase in the tax on a six-pack of beer, and as much as a 52-cent rise in the tax on a bottle of wine. With such proposals expected to

draw heavy fire from consumers a difficult challenge in trying to meet the House and Senate targets with excise taxes, if Mr. Reagan accepts \$18 billion in new taxes. Industry lobbyists are already

mobilizing. An ad-hoc coalition of industry groups, including the American Automobile Association the American Truckers Association and two-dozen other trade associations met recently to map strategy to fight fuel tax increases. The truckers' group is also lead-

These organizations have fresh battle experience. Last year, they plandence and compassion, Repub. Committee to include a major ex-licans were warming up the famil-cise tax increase as part of its in-



Thomas Green, an attorney for Major General Richard V. Secord, covered the microphone as he advised his client during congressional hearings into the Iran-contra affair.

North Praised by Bush After Firing, Second Says

By Stephen Engelberg

WASHINGTON — Hours after President Ronald Reagan dismissed Lieutenant Colonel Oliver L. North from the National Securi-Council, Vice President George Bush telephoned Colonel North and offered warm praise for his work, according to congressional

Major General Richard V. Secord, in his second day of testimony before the special House-Senate committee investigating the Iran-contra affair, disclosed Wednesday that Mr. Bush phoned Colonel North in November, shortly before Mr. Reagan called him with a simi-

General Secord, a retired air force officer, also explained why he believed that Mr. Bush had personally met with Felix Rodriguez, the former intelligence officer who was coordinating a private airlift from El Salvador for the Nicaraguan rebels, or contras. The vice president has acknowl-

edged that Mr. Rodriguez had met ing another coalition, including with Mr. Bush's national security wine, beer and tobacco industry adviser, Donald P. Gregg, in Augroups, to campaign against excise gust, but repeatedly has denied any involvement in the covert program to supply the contras.

But General Secord has drawn were successful in helping quash a Mr. Bush's name into discussions proposal in the Senate Finance of the program during his testimony, Still, no direct evidence implicating the vice president has come

On Wednesday, General Secord said that John Dutton, a retired officer who worked with him on the airlift operation, had told him that he had escorted Mr. Rodriguez to the vice president's office in early

basis for his comment that Mr. Bush had met with Mr. Rodriguez in August was that "my man Dutton accompanied him as far as the

that nature.'

As for the telephone call to Colonel North, Mr. Thomas termed it "a brief call to wish him well."

the private supply network or of Colonel North's efforts to aid the

Investigators said last week, for instance that they had found a note in Colonel North's files from November 1985 in which Mr. Bush praised the National Security Council aide for his work on behalf of the contras. Questions had been raised about the legality of Colonel North's activities three months ear-

New York Times Service August for a meeting.

General Secord said that the sole

Larry Thomas, Mr. Bush's press secretary, said Wednesday: "General Secord was misinformed, and his source was mistaken. The vice president was not in a meeting of

There have been several other suggestions that Mr. Bush, a former director of central intelligence, may have had some knowledge of

Breast Cancer and Alcohol Linked

Studies Indicate Even Light Drinking May Increase Risk

Washington Post Service WASHINGTON - Women who drink alcoholic beverages. even in moderation, are at significantly greater risk of developing breast cancer than women who do not drink, according to two studies published Thursday in the New England Journal of

The studies found that women who had about three drinks a week were approximately one and a half times more likely to develop breast cancer than nondrinkers. The risk rose with the amount of alcohol consumed.

Drinking appeared to affect breast-cancer risk more in younger women than in women who were past menopause.

The findings, which come from large studies, add credence to reports suggesting that alcohol was an important risk factor for the disease.

They prompted the New England Journal of Medicine to publish an accompanying edito-rial, which suggested that women with other recognized risk factors "curtail their alcohol ingestion." These factors include obesity, having few children or none before age 25, and a family history of breast cancer.

"When you've got this kind of consistency" between separate dismissed," said Dr. Arthur Schatzkin, a staff fellow at the National Cancer Institute and increase breast-cancer risk.

ican Cancer Society.

published Thursday.

measures.

By Susan Okie studies, "I think it should not be workers investigated the relaauthor of such a study. He said it in a federally sponsored health is not known why alcohol should and nutrition survey in the

> Breast cancer is second only to lung cancer as the leading cause of cancer deaths among women in the United States, striking one in 10 at some time in their lives. About 41,000 women will die of the disease in the United States this year, according to the Amer-

There are as many as 14 studies finking alcohol intake and breast cancer, according to Saxon Graham, chairman of the department of social and preventive medicine at the State University of New York in Buffalo, who wrote the editorial

Dr. Schatzkin said more research was needed before women should be advised to change their drinking habits. Mr. Graham maintained that the seriousness of the disease and the weight of the evidence justified preventive

"We may change our recommendations" when the relationship between alcohol and breast cancer is better understood, he Dr. Schatzkin and his co-

tionship of alcohol consumption, other risk factors and breast cancer in women who participated

Of the 7,188 participants, 121 developed breast cancer. Women who drank alcohol were 50 percent more likely to develop breast cancer than nondrinkers. and women who had more than three drinks a week had twice the

risk of nondrinkers. A second study, by researchers at Harvard Medical School, examined alcohol consumption and breast cancer risk in nurses who completed a detailed dietary questionnaire in 1980.

Of the 89,538 nurses, 601 developed breast cancer in the ensuing four years. Women who had three to nine drinks a week had a 30-percent greater risk of breast cancer than nondrinkers, and those who consumed more than nine drinks a week had a 60percent greater risk.

Alcohol had the greatest influence on breast-cancer development in women under 55 with no other tisk factors for the disease. In the Harvard study, women in this category who had more than nine drinks a week had two and a half times the rate of breast cancer seen in nondrinkers.

White House Seeks to Secure Reagan Gains

White House it is sometimes called

Operation Legacy. Nobody has issued a statement or made a speech about it. It has no official leaders or organization tables, no offices or telephone num-

But with only 20 months left in Ronald Reagan's presidency. Operation Legacy is a real and increasingly significant concept: a deliberate and organized effort by conservative Republicans to "lock in" many of the gains achieved in Mr. Reagan's six years in office.

Protecting those achievements against Democratic assaults on apitol Hill, an administration official said, is a "very important part of the strategic thinking" in the White House these days.

Speaking of the Democratic leaders, he added: "Look at their budget proposals - they're diametrically opposed to ours. Look at arms control - the liberals in the House are desperately trying to attach amendments to military appropriations bills. Clearly, there's a major attempt in Congress by the Democratic leadership to undo much of what President Reagan has already achieved.

quently about shoring up his triumphs in the remainder of his term, which ends in 1988. Speaking to the American Business Conference recently, Mr. Reagan said: "The best way to protect our economic achievements is to institutionalize the revolution that we launched when we came here six years ago.

And believe me, I intend to do just The informal and loosely knit effort to work toward that end has occupied White House thinking since the start of Mr. Reagan's second term. But it received new momentum after Howard H. Baker Jr.

became chief of staff in February. The appointment of Mr. Baker, who built a reputation as a pragmatic conciliator in his years as Republican leader in the Senate, caused "universal dismay, gloom and doom" among hard-core right-ists, said Edwin J. Feulner Jr., president of the Heritage Foundation.

Mr. Baker used his conciliatory reputation to advantage when, within weeks, he asked Mr. Feulner, a leading conservative intellectual, to become a part-time White House adviser on domestic policy. Mr. Baker also asked T. Kenneth Cribb Jr., an outspoken conservative with close ties to Attorney General Edwin Meese 3d, to become assistant to the president for domestic affairs.

Mr. Feulner and Mr. Cribb joined Gary L. Bauer, the assistant to the president for policy development. Tony Dolan, the chief speechwriter, and Frank J. Donatelli. the president's chief political adviser, to form a cadre of conservatives within the White House dedicated to keeping an ideological flame burning for the rest of the Reagan presidency. Democrats concede that in some

respects, Operation Legacy is working. Huge budget deficits make it almost impossible to suggest significant increases in domestic spending. And Mr. Reagan's appointments to the federal judiciary will guarantee his influence for years to come. But in others ways, the Demo-

crats say, the Republican effort to protect Mr. Reagan's achievements is doomed to failure. "There's no way you can lock

things in," said an aide to the Dem-ocratic leadership in the House of Representatives, "On any bill that comes up, you can revise most of the things done in the past." The field marshals for Operation

Legacy have different responsibilities. Mr. Feulner is conducting an inventory of all cabinet departments and trying to establish priorities for the administration's final months. Mr. Bauer is in charge of producing new ideas, and his most recent suggestion was for a special commission to advise the president on the policy implications of the crisis over acquired immune deficiency syndrome. Mr. Cribb will focus on generating support among

conservative activists. The conservatives know that their ability to protect Mr. Rea-gan's legacy is limited by time and political reality.

"It's uphill," Mr. Feulner said, "everybody knows it's going to be

But Operation Legacy is going forward on many levels, and one is the battle for public opinion. When

Mr. Reagan repeatedly refers to the

and spend liberals, he makes it WASHINGTON - Around the harder for his opponents to cham-

pion increased social spending.

chance to promote a few selected ated settlement.

guan rebels. In trying to preserve some sort of aid to the rebels. known as coptras, the president has Another front is legislation, and the White House thinks it still has a tory over the Sandinists to a negotishifted his goal from a military vic-

The informal and loosely knit effort to preserve the Reagan legacy has occupied White House thinking since the start of Mr. Reagan's second term.

measures in this Congress. A particular favorite of the president —a bill giving the states greater authority over welfare programs — lits well with his theme of reducing the realm of the federal government while enhancing local jurisdictions.

however. The president still talks about a constitutional amendment requiring a balanced budget, but hardly anyone takes him seriously. The main fights on Capitol Hill will involve Democratic attempts

Similarly, the president is fighting to increase spending on his proposal for a space-based anti-missile shield. The White House view is that if enough money is spent now will find it harder to scrap the pro-Many keystones of the conserva- Ject

Perhaps the most important legtive credo are practically dead, islative battle is over taxes. The administration has favored lower taxes partly as a way of depriving the government of revenues and thus making it more difficult to to change existing administration grams. Some Democrats have armore conservative justice.

policy, such as aid for the Nicara- gued for new taxes as reverse the Reagan policy and provide breathing room in the federal budget for expanded government

> The president has vowed to use his veto to block measures, such as a tax increase, that would reverse his past successes. But the first two vetoes he east this year, on bills that would clean up U.S. waterways and rebuild highways, were overridden by Congress.

> "With each step," said the House Democratic aide, "there is a little less fear of the president's poten-

> As part of Operation Legacy, the conservative staff members are trying to plant ideological allies in jobs throughout the executive branch in the hope that they will survive beyond the Reagan years.

The most obvious example of this strategy was the unsuccessful attempt to persuade Justice Byron R. White to leave the Supreme Court and become head of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. That would have given Mr. Reagan a revive spending on domestic pro- chance to name a younger and

as already achieved.* The president himself talks frethe president himself talks frethereby about choose we him to be On New Ambassador to Mozambique

Mozambique," said Claude A. Al-

len. Mr. Helms's press spokesman.

The senator is questioning her

qualifications for the position, and

here are a number of senators who

have serious questions about U.S.

Mr. Helms has warned that he

has information he wants to discuss

"in detail" if Mrs. Wells comes up

for a vote, an apparent threat to

The test may come Friday, when

Mrs. Wells, who joined the For-

eign Service in 1958, served as am-

bassador to Guinea-Bissau in 1976-

77. But one concern of Mr. Helms

is that she also served in the U.S.

mission to the United Nations dur-

Wednesday for swift Senate confir-

mation for Mrs. Wells. The Associ-

ated Press reported from Washing-

ton. A department spokesman,

Charles E. Redman said that Mrs.

Wells was "exceptionally quali-

sador for three months at a time

when many pressing issues, includ-

ing a growing food emergency, re-

quire urgent attention." he said.

The administration believes that

Mrs. Wells is not the only am-

bassador-designate having trou-bles. Senator Gordon J. Hum-

phrey. Republican of New

Hampshire, led a four-month cam-

paign to block the nomination of

Arnold L. Raphel to become am-

["We've been without an ambas-

fied" for the assignment.

without further delay."]

bassador to Pakistan.

longtime opponents.

Mrs. Welis's supporters are expect-

ing the showdown in the Senate.

policy toward Mozambique.

filibuster her nomination.

By David B. Ottaway

Washington Post Service
WASHINGTON — Can a senator bury a president's ambassadorial nomination in an avalanche of questions? In the case of Melissa Foelsch Weils, President Ronald Reagan's ambassador-designate to Mozambique. Senator Jesse Helms

is out to see if he can. Nominated Oct. 7 to fill the post vacated by Peter Jon de Vos, Mrs. Wells has answered in writing 247 questions from Mr. Helms, a North Carolina Republican. Old-timers at the State Department say they be-

tieve that sets a record. 'It's questionable that Mrs. Wells can represent our interests in

HART: ing the Carter administration, when Andrew Young was the chief U.S. delegate. Campaign Put Off "There is a question whether Reagan knows this," said Mr. Allen, Mr. Helms and Mr. Young are

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replied: "No we do not have that kind of understanding. We have an understanding of faithfulness. fidelity and loyalty."

■ Fund-Raising Problems Bernard Weinraub of The New York Times reported earlier from

The financial difficulties of Mr. Hart's campaign have grown severe because of the publicity surround-ing his relationship with Miss Rice, according to Democratic financial

Mr. Hart's fund-raising problems in his bid for the Democratic presidential nomination have been compounded by a \$1.3 million debt left from his 1984 presidential bid. In nationwide U.S. political campaigns the ability to raise millions of dollars is pivotal to a candi-

date's prospects. Robert S. Strauss and Robert White, two former Democratic national chairmen, said Wednesday they had decided to scrap tentative plans for a fund-raising meeting in Mr. Hart's behalf to help retire his

1984 debt. "In this particular climate it would be inappropriate to do anything like that," Mr. White said. "Overall his ability to raise money will be severely hampered."

Mr. White said. "Anything that upsets the momentum of the campaign upsets fund-raising. There's no question that Hart's momentum has been stopped dead." David C. Garrett, an Atlanta businessman and lawyer who raised funds for Mr. Hart in the South in 1984, gave this assessment

of the impact of the reports about Ms. Rice on the Hart campaign: "I think it's going to be absolutely devastating. There's no other way Charles T. Manau, a co-chairman of the Hart campaign and a former Democratic national chairman, said that the reports had "cer-

short term" to gather support for Mr. Hart. He said that the campaign had planned a series of events, most of which have taken place, aimed at raising \$2 million by the fall. So far, Mr. Hart has raised more than \$1.5 million in campaign funds, accord-ing to Federal Election Commis-

sion records. [A poll by the Boston television station WBZ indicated that Mr. Hart's support in New Hampshire had dropped to 17 percent from 32 percent among Democratic voters Sources at the British trade ministry said privately earlier this year that they would push for arrests on the Guinness investigation "somethe Guinness investigation "somethe has 27 percent, Forty-seven to the following to the last S. Dukakis of Massachusetts. The government of Prime Minis-

percent said they were undecided. [In Iowa, Mr. Hart is the first choice of 56 percent of Democrats. according to a poli conducted on Tuesday and published Thursday in The Des Moines Register. In a similar poll April 25, the former Colorado senator was the first choice of 65 percent of Democrats,]

The Associated Press

ada struck its first \$1 piece, a goldcolored coin with 11 sides, Thursday at the Royal Canadian Mint in Winnipeg. The coin will be circulated beginning in July.

Mr. Humphrey, who is not a Foreign Relations Committee Mr. Raphel to a grueling crossexamination at confirmation hearings Feb. 20. Mr. Raphel's nomination was

approved Friday by the full Senate. with 19 senators voting against and 76 for him. Another nominee, Richard N. Viets, is having trouble gaining ap-

proval for the Lisbon post Mr. Helms is holding up his nomination in committee with questions about his management of embassy money while serving as ambassador to Jordan in 1981-84. A department audit has cleared him of wrongdoing.

Despite Mr. Helms's past use of

delaying tactics to combat State Department nominees, Mrs. Wells seems to be a case apart.

Most of the 247 questions she has been asked probe the Reagan administration's rationale for embracing the Marxist government in The State Department called Mozambique and opposing rebels who are out to overthrow it. Others concern the administra-

tion's policy in southern Africa of "constructive engagement," or the use of quiet persuasion, and whether it has survived congressionally mandated sanctions against South



Mr. Humphrey said Mr. Raphel was responsible for holding up aid Visit our shop to the rebels fighting in Afghani-Monday thru Saturday, 11 a.m.-7 p.m stan and for a decision to guarantee 84 Rue Saint-Martin, 75004 Paris. iointly with the Russians a future Tel.: (1) 42.71.93.03 political settlement there. You're accustomed to elegance on Fifth Avenue. No wonder you stay at the St. Regis.



(Continued from Page 1) the left and on the expected scrutiny of the far-right opposition.

nation of apartheid.

minister of the self-governing Kwa-

Zuln tribal homeland and leader of the moderate, 1.6-million-member Inkatha movement, said he was "totally appalled" at the election. Increased violence may lie ahead, he warned.

Archbishop Desmond Tutu said South Africa had entered the darkest age of its history."

"Now we have a right-wing gov-Moreover, in the face of an asernment that has been confirmed in cending conservative movement in its right-wing views, with the possi-South Africa, the government will bility of an extreme right-wing ophave to proceed carefully with its position," he said at a news conferprogram of limited, gradual elimi- ence in Cape Town, "I believe what we are going to see now is an esca-Even moderate anti-apartheid lation of the intransigence of this campaigners seemed deeply depression and intolerance of any dis-Mangosuthu Buthelezi, chief

In Lusaka, Zambia, the African National Congress described the election result as a signal to step up its guerrilla war against apartheid.

Reuters reported. Its president, Oliver Tambo, said, "The election results blew the whistle for the ANC to intensify "I fear for the future," he said the armed struggle, "At a news conference, he said, "This is a greater not prepared to follow a policy of challenge that he had been been as a given that the said of more justification to the arguments challenge than before. The results one group dominating another. of those who say that only escalated violence can bring whites to their senses."

He added, "They are here to stay, and they have a special duty to South Africa."

with detentions, even of children."] The Progressive Party leader, Colin W. Eglin, said the election was a setback not only for his party

but for "the process of fundamental reform in South Africa." The Five Freedoms Forum, an alliance of white anti-apartheid groups, said the election had crushed hopes for a negotiated de-

In an interview on state-run television Thursday night, Mr. Botha said his government had received a firm mandate by the white electorate to guarantee internal security in South Africa and "constitutional and gradual" reform.

While endorsing what he called "moderate reform," the president said: "But at the same time, the

VOTE: Far-Rightists Gain, Overtaking Apartheid Foes GUINNESS: Ex-Official Arrested (Continued from Page 1)

the hearing, was charged with attempting "to pervert the course of public justice." Mr. Saunders also was charged

with two separate counts of destroying and falsifying documents related to Guinness while serving as the company's chairman and chief executive officer, in violation of Britain's 1985 Companies Act. All three charges relate to the peri-od from Dec. 1 to Jan. 30. Under the charge of obstructing

prison term of unspecified length. The charges of tampering with company documents carry a maximum penalty of seven years in prison and an unspecified fine. The British government's investigation, according to official sources, was prompted by information provided to the the trade min-

istry by the U.S. Securities and Ex-

change Commission. It was

obtained during the SEC's investi-

gation of an insider-trading case

against Ivan F. Boesky, the New York arbitrager, the sources said.

ter Margaret Thatcher is eager to be seen cracking down on whitecollar crime, and she is widely expected to call Monday for a June 11 general election. On January 14. the Guinness justice, Mr. Saunders could face an board dismissed Mr. Saunders and

requested the resignations of two

of possible misconduct."

Last month, Guinness secured Canada Mints First \$1 Coin an injunction from Britain's High Court to freeze the assets of Mr. Saunders until it receives repayment of a £5,2 million payment to another Guinness director that allegedly was authorized by Mr. Saunders. He denied any wrongdoing during that civil proceeding.

other directors, citing "allegations

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The Web of Contempt

What a sad epitaph for William Casey. As he lay dying testimony in the Iran-contra hearings showed that he was a leader in the Reagan administration's effort to subvert the law and the will of Congress. His terminal illness already had deprived him of any chance to defend himself. With his death, there is need to guard against making him a scapegoat. As the Iran-contra story unravels, it becomes clearer that responsibility is more widespread than the administration will yet admit.

Richard Secord, a retired general, is telling the Senate and House committees that his arms networking, which the administration has called private enterprise, was much more than a rogue operation run by Lieu-tenant Colonel Oliver North. In fact it had plenty of prestigious and official support.

Others now make the same point. One is Lewis Tambs, who resigned as ambassador to Costa Rica amid suggestions that he gave impermissible military help to the Nicaraguan rebels. Saying he would not take the rap alone, he insisted his orders came from authorized channels: a tight group of policy makers that included Assistant Secretary of State Elliott Abrams and Alan Fiers, head of the CIA's Central American Task Force.

Who knew? How many high administration officials were involved in the extensive effort to funnel aid to the contras, even after the Congress forbade it?

This painful accounting, as Senator Dan-

iel Inouve stated in opening the hearings. does not merely concern secret operations. It concerns secret foreign policy that tra-duced stated foreign policy, like the refusal to pay ransom for hostages, as well as the ban on arms for the contras.

It is not yet clear how large and central was William Casey's role in these operations. But at a minimum he was guilty of knowing that broad evasions of law were under way and yet, we are told, not telling the president, much less Congress.

General Secord tells an amazing story of the privatized power he wielded as a White House agent. The general played the role of a "commercial cutout," dressing up the Iran arms deals as private financial transactions because unconcealed government-to-government dealings would have violated the law and embarrassed both sides. His account is but the latest evidence that knowledge of Iran-contra was widespread. Such an operation is impossible unless key officials from various government agencies participate and systematically deceive and disobey Congress. Mr. Casey's widely known distrust of the Senate and House Intelligence committees set a tone for an administration that decided for itself that Congress had no right to

restrict the executive branch in national security matters. But it is already too late to blame him, or any one person. Who knew? Every day, the web of contempt widens. - THE NEW YORK TIMES.

Amends, 45 Years Later

The Smithsonian Institution is not often in the middle of political controversy. But an exhibit planned by one of its museums - the National Museum of American History - in connection with the bicentennial of the U.S. Constitution has caused a stir. That is because it raises the painful question of how, under the constitution, it was possible for the United States to intern Japanese-Americans during World War II. We think the museum is right to go ahead with the exhibit, despite some protest. The questions it raises are worth debating.

Americans of Japanese ancestry - citizens as well as legal aliens — who had been neither charged nor convicted of any wrongdoing, were summarily shipped off to detention camps in 1942. For many years after the war had ended, there was little public discussion of the policy. Military authorities said the evacuation had been necessary to protect the West Coast, and even the Supreme Court ratified the harsh decision. Some small payments were subsequently made by the government to compensate for tangible losses — about \$37 million in all - but most evacuees lost

nomes and businesses or sold them for a pittance during the brief time they were given to pack up. No compensation can ever be made for the years spent in confinement, for the terrible stigma of imprison-

ment or for the injustice that was inflicted. Some steps have been taken recently. President Gerald Ford, in 1976, acknowledged that a mistake had been made. Courts have overturned some convictions for violating exclusion orders, and new civil suits for damages have been litigated. These may not succeed because of the statute of limitations, but the Congress can still respond to recommendations made by a special commission in 1983 and vote to compensate the victims.

About half of the original 120,000 internees are still living. A Senate bill with 69 cosponsors and a House bill with 137 have leadership backing, and momentum. Both call for a formal apology to individuals and some payment, both personal and into a general trust fund. Those who have doubts about the need to make amends should visit the Smithsonian exhibit this summer.

Bailing Out the S&Ls

The House of Representatives caved in to came round to the same figure. The House the savings-and-loan lobby this week and passed a bailout bill that is far too weak. heeded the symphony back home instead and voted for \$5 billion. The arguments are Normally an ailing industry welcomes the that more can be voted later if it is needed; government nurse. Not this time. More that you do not want to give federal regulathan 10 percent of the federally insured savings and loans institutions in the United States are technically insolvent. They are not; and that if you wait, the farm and oil being allowed to stay in business - and in and other weak sectors of the economy may many cases to compound their losses - recover enough to bail some of these institubecause there is not enough money in the tions out with much less of a burden on their federal insurance fund to compensate their sounder brethren. For these and other readepositors if they were to be shut down.

The insolvent institutions do not want a ust one more roll of the dice, the say; let us recoup. The people to whom they are continuing to lend want them to stay open too. Meanwhile, the prospering savings and loans institutions are also resisting an adequate bailout because they do not want to foot the bill.

The Treasury proposed a \$15 billion bailout fund. House Speaker Jim Wright and Representative Fernand St Germain, chairman of the banking committee, belatedly

tors more money than they need, for fear they will shut down associations they should sons the Senate also voted for a smaller bill.

But all that the congressmen are doing is strong bailout bill because they want to stay temporizing, shoving another huge and ugly when, if they are lucky, someone else will have to deal with it. Too many bad loans were made: the Federal Home Loan Bank Board estimates that it will take more than \$20 billion to keep the depositors in the insolvent savings and loan associations whole. Instead of facing up to these losses, Congress has chosen to nibble at them on the installment plan.

- THE WASHINGTON POST.

Other Comment

Botha and the Far Right

As he had wagered when he called early elections, President Pieter Botha maintained his majority. But this victory has a bitter taste because of the clear success of the extreme right, ready to fight by any means against the prudent reformism of the ruling National Party.

The rise of the extremists is troublesome

for the head of state. But he can use it to plead the need for prudence before those in the West who complain. The relative defeat of the liberals will reinforce him in his conviction that his party alone is capable of making the country evolve in accord with the majority of whites.

- Le Monde (Paris).

Bad Old Habits in Portugal

The dissolution of the Portuguese parliament presents an opportunity and a danger for the poorest member of the European nity. There is reason to hope that the election July 19 will help to consolidate the advances made in the past four years toward stabilizing what, before, had been a democracy of continuous cabinet crises. Yet the manner in which the minority government of

Anibal Cavaco Silva was brought down last month was a reversion to the bad old days. Straightforward politicking caused General Antonio Ramalho Eanes, a former

president, to withdraw the support of the Democratic Renewal Party from Dr. Cavaco Silva. Portugal will not be able to confront the European challenge if General Eanes's coup were to signal a return to the political merry-go-round which, so far, has given the country 19 governments since the overthrow of dictatorship in 1974. The Financial Times (London).

Sawing Into the Limb

Sinking the saw's teeth a few inches deeper into the limb on which the U.S. economy is resting, the House passed its much heralded trade bill last week - complete with the Gephardt amendment, which would require mandatory sanctions against countries with "excess and unwarranted" trade surpluses with the United States. The bill is an unmitigated disaster. Richard Gephardt certainly drew a lot of attention by introducing his outrageous amendment to the already bad bill but may have disqualified himself as a responsible candidate for office.

- The Detroit Free Press.

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OPINION



Season of Scandal: When Conviction and Policy Clash

By William Pfaff

The Desperate, Testy Casey Wasn't the Real 'Big Bill'

By William Safire

Came re-election landslide in 1984 and the

replacement of James Baker, the White House

chief of staff, with a Casey ally, Donald Regan.

Here was Bill Casey's chance to attain his dream:

to re-establish CIA influence in Iran, scene of the

agency's greatest early triumph, and to reverse the

Communist penetration of Central America. Wor-

thy goals for a patriot; suitable capstones to the

But Bill saw his CIA as hamstrung with report-

danger his agents. He came up with a way around

the congressional restraints: Use the National

Security Council staff as an operational arm.

When terrorists kidnapped and began the torture

of his CIA station chief in Beirut, he found a new

urgency in an opening to Iran. Strategic creativity

The Iranian opening was Bill Casey's baby,

done mostly but not completely outside the CIA. When his deputy objected, he was fired. The CIA

chief, supported by a former CIA chief, George

Bush, and tacitly by Chief of Staff Regan, and followed obediently by apparatchiks like Bud McFarlane and John Poindexter, prevailed in the

National Security Council over the strange bedfel-

lowship of the secretaries of state and defense.

It was about this time that Mr. Casey's person-

President Reagan followed Mr. Casey's advice.

greatest American intelligence career.

merged with tactical needs.

PARIS — Britain today has an even more sensational political scandal than Irangate. The British scandal poses the same problems of secret power and accountability, and of what an individual should do when conviction clashes with an elected government's policies.

The affair is of alleged treason,

among other high crimes. An element in the British security service. MI5, is said to have conspired to undermine two British governments at the beginning of the 1970s.

The story is set forth by a former MI5 officer, Peter Wright. He claims that about 30 members of MI5. politically motivated, conspired to overthrow the Labor government of Prime Minister Harold Wilson and tried to discredit the Conservative government of Edward Heath. Sir Harold was held to have about him people working for the KGB, or even to be himself compromised by the Soviet or other East-bloc intelligence services. Mr. Heath was thought insufficiently anti-Communist.

Mr. Wright says that the CIA was also involved, and that he and his colleagues "bugged and burgled our way across London" for five years. He says that he himself committed 23 criminal acts and 12 acts of treason in the course of the affair. One interpretation of all this is that

N EW YORK — "My lips are sealed," Wil-liam J. Casey used to tell us cheerfully, and

politicians knew that their innermost campaign

In the presidential campaign of 1960, a front

group was needed to sign an anti-Kennedy ad. A

former Republican chairman. Len Hall sent us to

his Long Island law partner, within hours. Bill

Casey assembled a paper committee, got a wad of

cash from a fellow who would later head the FBL

parked the money in a quickly collapsible bank

account, and adeptly gave the dirty deed the coloration of law. He knew how to get things done.

"Wild Bill" Donovan's spymaster for Europe,

working with Allen Dulles to drop OSS agents

behind Nazi lines. After the war he helped form

the CIA, then left espionage to turn his bril-

liant mind and get-it-done talents to venture

made him an invaluable campaign aide and a

terrible politician. Helping him campaign for the

Republican nomination to Congress in 1966, I

took him to a speech teacher to slow his torrent of

best of his talents to the job of director of central

intelligence. Covert action improved in Afghani-

stan, Central America and Angola; morale soared

as agents knew their boss had the president's ear

and trust. Bill Casey was in his element.

In the first Reagan term, Bill Casey applied the

mumbled ideas. He accepted defeat manfully.

His combination of gruff enthusiasm and brains

capital and adventure politics.

He proved that in World War II when he was

secrets were safe.

Another argument holds that, whatever the operation became, it began with authorization at highest MI5 levels, based on credible information concerning Mr. Wilson or his asso-ciates, and that "far from being a conspiracy to bring down an elected government, the operation was aimed at protecting that government from danger by subversive agents" (to

quote an anonymous apologist for M15). The phrasing of this explanation is not without ambiguities. The underlying question is an im-portant one: What does a responsible security service do if it has good reason to think that a nation's leader is compromised by foreign agents or unshakably under their influence? What does it do if its officers become convinced that the executive arm of government, to which it owes obedience, is itself insecure? What do responsible officials do if they believe that their government's policies actu-

The last question transports us from London to Washington, and to the Irangate hearings. In Washington, officials took policy in their own hands, convinced that a congressional ban on U.S. government support treme cases in the MI5 and Irangate

ally betray the nation?

it was simply a rogue operation by for the Nicaraguan contras was extreme rightists in the secret service. right, to break the law.

Even if these people acted with President Reagan's implied endorsement, the problem posed is that of individuals in government who come to believe that they possess a private grasp, lacking to the public, of some great issue, and that they have a moral obligation to do something about it even if this requires breaking the law. If a democratic nation freely elects for itself a course toward ruin, do responsible people inside the govern-

ment have to go along with this? What does an honorable person do in such extreme circumstances? The key distinction seems to me to be between moral issues and political ones. It is a recognizable distinction

even if the two often overlap. An official seems to me obliged to confront, fight and, in the extreme case, disobey or subvert an immoral national policy. This involves many prudential considerations, but the principle seems to me unassailable. The obvious modern case in point is that of the July 20 conspirators in the wartime German government who tried to overthrow Hitler.

But we are not talking about ex-

affairs. We are talking about people who interfere with elected governments on political or security grounds, and do so when there are lternative courses available within the political system. That this occurs, and possibly is occurring more often than the public thinks, is a disquieting matter. To employ secret powers to thwart the policy of an elected legislature or to undermine a government, thereby denying the public will, is an act destructive of repre-

sentative government. To the individuals involved, of course, things are never so clear. When they possess power for which they are not publicly accountable, the possibilines offered by that power can become intoxicating. That is what happened in Washington, and it may be what happened in Britain.

We may never know in the British case. Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher refuses to offer a full explanation or to order an inquiry.

Americans, not to speak of the British, are inclined to be complacent. Each scandal is interpreted as a reassurance that "the system is working." One wonders if there may not be more occasions than we know when it did not work; and if we can so confidently rely on it to continue working.

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ality changed radically. He found he had prostate cancer (and so informed the president, who had

cancer worries of his own); time was short. He

grew testy with friends, easily infuriated at criti-

cism and hypersensitive to leaks: After I took a

pop at him in print, he hollered at me over the

In the fall of 1986, as the Iran-contra dealings

began to unravel, and the presence of the former

Casey client Roy Furmark as the agent for the

middlemen showed the Casey hand, the CIA di-

rector was railing that "imauthorized disclosures

of classified information have become a cancer"

On the Sunday before an undetected tumor

caused his seizure, my former old friend called me

three times. He explained our estrangement, say-

ing, "You froze me out," and put forward the

cover story he had concocted with the dates con-

fused, but protective of the president and the

agency. In the next day's column, I pulled my

punch somewhat, and was glad I had after he was

The desperate mind that led the Reagan admin-

discovered to have a brain riddled with cancer.

istration over a cliff in his final year at the CIA was

not that of the old Bill Casey. The "Big Bill" we knew so well was an enthusiast, not a zealot;

warmhearted, not thin-skinned; loyally discreet,

not secrecy-obsessed. His friends will remember

the real Casey, not the afflicted Casey, now that

The New York Times.

and calling for iail for ema

his lips are finally scaled.

phone and later blew up at me at a large party.

A Doghouse With Room For Bonn

By Hobart Rowen

WASHINGTON — On the economic beat here in Washington, there is a feeling things are spin-ning out of control. The dollar is worth less and less in international markets, despite the efforts of central banks to mop up surplus dollars dumped by anxious investors. With a cheaper dollar come the

threats of inflation as other curren-cies appreciate, of higher interest v rates and, eventually, of recession. rates and, eventually, or recession.

A worrisome part of the picture is
that Congress, furious over Japan's
huge trade surplus, is about to shoot
itself, and the country, in the foot with
a protectionist trade bill. That may persuade the Japanese to pull back on their equally huge financial invest-

ments in America that have been financing the U.S. budget deficit.

There is something more: To many. an unremitting weakening of the dollar - until recently part of the policy of an administration fighting a debilitating trade deficit — may symbolize a

crisis of confidence in America.

The Federal Reserve Board chairman, Paul Volcker, turns out, incidentally, to be a seer. When Treasury Secretary James Baker and the other finance ministers started the process of talking the dollar down at the famous New York meeting on Sept. 22 1985, Mr. Volcker grumbled publicly that once the process was started, it would not be easy to stop. Akio Morita of Sony Corp., that

canny operator of businesses in Japan, Europe and the United States, said to me the other day: "You [Americans] should worry about the dollar. It is not a good sign when it, goes down so far - it means that everybody's investments in America are worth less than before."

Yet the nation rushes ahead. Many economists predict that without a turnaround in the trade delicit, the dollar, having lost more than half its value against the yen and the Deutsche mark in the last two years, may fall a further 15 to 20 percent.

Suddenly, Mr. Baker and the other finance ministers are discovered to have no clothes: Their promises to coordinate their nations' policies to stabilize currencies "around current levels" are proving meaningless.

In the case of Mr. Baker and the

Japanese finance minister, Kiichi Miyazawa, the reason is that they do not control the political processes in their countries. Mr. Baker cannot deliver a tax increase from his president or a budget reduction from Congress. And Mr. Miyazawa is powerless to get the votes in the Japanese parliament for a big fiscal expansion.

The German case is different. Finance Minister Gerhard Stoltenberg and his associates in the Kohl government agree completely: West Germany simply refuses the demands of the rest of the world to boost its economy. It stubbornly pursues a selfish commitment to preserve at all costs — including a global recession — its less-than-zero inflation record.

In an extremely disappointing speech in Washington, the West German economics minister, Martin Bangemann, told America on April 28 to go fly a kite. Don't talk to us about a fiscal expansion, he said. Yet Mr. Volcker, Mr. Baker, the

White House economic adviser, Beryl Sprinkel, the World Bank -- even some top West German think tanks know that Bonn can and should be doing more in its own interest and for global economic health.

The Germans are maddeningly selfcontent. Mr. Bangemann plainly was enjoying seeing Japan in the dog-house. Yet West Germany, too, has a big export-driven surplus. A confidential staff paper produced

for the meeting in Paris next week of finance ministers from the OECD countries says that West Germany must join Japan in a vigorous expansion while America cuts its budget deficit, or the huge international imbalances will not be reduced in the foreseeable future. That, in effect, is a forecast of a dollar collapse.

A key official of the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development, discussing the staff paper by phone, said that the case for West German economic expansion is even stronger than it was a few months ago. "Japan has at least announced a new package" of stimulatory measures, "and we must wait to see how

that turns out," he said. The OECD meeting will be the last chance before the economic summit meeting next month in Venice for the finance ministers to try to restore confidence in their ability to cope with the crisis. Not much may come of it, but one result is certain: For a change, accusing fingers will be pointing toward Bonn rather than Tokyo.

The Washington Post.

1937: Hindenburg Toll

The Gulf: The Soviets Are There in Surprising Force

OSLO — When you talk with Soviet officials about their rivalry with the United States, they maintain that they have no foreign bases. To arrive at that remarkable conclusion they leave aside Soviet installations in Eastern Europe and Mongolia, to say nothing of Afghanistan. Although the Soviet presence in

the Gulf area should not be exaggerated, it is more extensive than most people realize. In peacetime, Soviet facilities in Ethiopia and South Yemen aid deployments in the Indian Ocean; in event of war, they would put Soviet forces close to the Red Sea. The Soviet effort to expand into the

Middle East has not been a joyride. It began in the mid-1950s, with the sending of equipment through Czechoslo-vakia to Egypt. Exploiting Egyptian etimity with Israel, President Gamal Abdel Nasser's ambitions and Western stupidity, the Soviets built a considerable presence in Egypt. With time, the Egyptians found

their Soviet advisers intolerable. When Anwar Sadat finally expelled them in 1972, they moved their operations to Somalia. When the Kremlin decided to support Ethiopia in the struggle over the Ogaden, the Somalis told the Russians to pack up. They shifted operations to South Yemen. Although the Soviets seem well entrenched in Ethiopia and South Ye-

Correction

General Bernard Rogers's area of responsibility in Africa was incorrectly described in the first part of this article. He is responsible for all of Africa except Egypt. Sudan, Ethio-pia, Kenya and Somalia.

By John C. Ausland This is the second of two articles.

times where they could hop to if they had to leave those countries.

Having built a substantial navy. Moscow inevitably wanted to operate in the Indian Ocean. It began doing so regularly in the late 1960s, about the time the British announced their withdrawal from east of Suez. Operating out of Vladivostok was difficult. The acquisition of the U.S.-built base at Cam Ranh Bay in Vietnam has helped. Even that, though, is distant from the Middle East.

The Soviet Navy is dependent on facilities in South Yemen and Ethiopia for operations in the Indian Ocean. When it began to operate there, it could only remain for about five months. It now operates year-round. It is not easy to get detailed infor-

mation regarding Soviet activities in Ethiopia and South Yemen. There have been press reports about naval activities on the Dahlak Islands off the Ethiopian coast: some reports maintain that the Soviet facilities there are extensive. But the 1987 edition of the Pentagon report "Soviet Military Power refers to them as small. The Soviet Union and South Ye-

men maintain that the Russians have no bases in that country, but this is a matter of semantics. They make extensive use of the port of Aden and various Yemeni airfields. There are reports that they are developing naval facilities at Mukalla, east of Aden.

Reports conflict about Soviet activities on Socotra, a South Yemeni island off the Horn of Africa. Some refer to submarine pens. Since waters around Socotra are shallow, the Soviet Navy

men, they must ask themselves at is able to use it as an anchorage. The Soviets cannot be very comfortable with South Yemen. Plagued with tribal and ideological rivalries, it has had one revolution after another. In

the most recent, early last year, the Soviets found it difficult to choose sides. Once they did, according to the Pentagon's 1987 report, Soviet pilots flew combat missions to support the revolutionaries, and Soviet aircraft transported Cuban troops from Ethiopia, which helped drive the government forces into North Yemen The Soviets have not found it easy to reconcile their activities in South Yemen with their courtship of other

Arab nations. Yet they have been con-

ducting a major effort to establish

diplomatic relations. They now have

relations with all Arab countries except Saudi Arabia, Qatar and Bahrain. The circumstances in which the Soviets would deploy substantial combat. forces to Ethiopia or South Yemen are uncertain. They have, however, demonstrated that they are ready for such a contingency. In late 1977 and early 1978 they conducted a large deployment of equipment by air to Ethiopia. Since then they have carried out exer-

cises related to the deployment of several divisions to South Yemen. Like the Pentagon, the Soviet general staff would have to coordinate the activities of several commands for any military operations in the Gulf area. The Indian Ocean falls under the commander of the Soviet Pacific fleet, with headquarters in Vladivostok. The Gulf region (land area and airspace) is part of the Soviet southern theater of mili-

al report says: "This theater currently has low priority for Soviet planners. Most of the developments center on the Soviet Army in Afghanistan."

Even if Soviet leaders have no cur-

tary operations. The Pentagon's annu-

rent plans to deploy forces to the Gulf area, circumstances could arise that would force their hand. The most dangerous situation would be if these deployments coincided with U.S. deployments. This would not necessarily ead to a conflict between the superpowers, but the world could have its most serious crisis since Nikita Khrushchev moved missiles into Cuba International Herald Tribune.

IN OUR PAGES, 75 AND 50 YEARS AGO

1912: French Gun Laws PARIS - The endless series of shooting affrays in Paris recently

once more has brought the question of the carrying of firearms to the front. Various proposals have been made to put an end to this dangerous practice, but, as no official action has been taken, it is still legal for gunsmiths to sell firearms to all comers. The action just brought by the tutor of a young girl named Paquerette Pascal may, however, establish a new jurisprudence as far as the civil responsibility of gunsmiths is con-cerned. On Dec. 3, Mme. Pascal went to a gunsmith, purchased a revolver, proceeded to her apartment and shot her husband dead in his sleep. The summons points out that, though the gunsmith must have suspected that his customer was going to make an unlawful use of the weapon she purchased, he did not try to prevent it.

LAKEHURST, New Jersey - As one passenger and two members of the crew died in hospitals [May 7], the toll of the Hindenburg air tragedy stood at thirty-three. Of the dead, twelve are passengers and twenty are members of the crew. One member of the ground force was found to have perished when the flaming bulk fell upon him. Meanwhile, Secretary of Commerce Daniel C. Roper an-nounced the personnel of the bu-rean's official board of inquiry, which will open hearings [May 10] to deter-mine the cause of the explosion that reduced the world's largest airship to a mass of blazing wreckage [May 6]. As the board prepared so take up its work, charges and counter-charges of espionage echoed between Washing-

ton and Germany. It is understood

the Hindenburg was insured for \$2,840,000 through a syndicale.

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OPINION

Even a Big Story Isn't Worth Such Scuttling in the Dark

By A.M. Rosenthal

N EW YORK — I did not become a newspaperman to hide outside a politician's house trying to find out whether he was in bed with somebody. As a reporter for 20 years, I would

have refused to carry out such an assignment. As an editor for 23 more years I would not have given such an assignment or allowed one to be made. I would have considered the very idea in conflict with my own journalistic standards and those of my paper. I still do.

. All this is put in the first person deliberately. Journalistic decisions like the one

ON MY MIND

made by The Miami Herald to skulk around Gary Hart's house are made by individual editors, reporters and publishers. There is no such thing as The American Press. It is exactly what it should be: free individuals making free decisions under First Amendment rights. -

But we do not have to approve of each other's decisions. The very fact that The Herald is a good newspaper makes it important to speak out.

I think that in the end the decision made by the paper's editors will hart The Herald, the public vision of the press and the way we in journalism see ourselves and our purpose in life.

There are two journalistic issues in the

matter. One is whether the story about Mr. Hart and his visitor should have been printed, I think the answer is ves. but. Yes, because Americans are interested in the character of candidates for the presidency, and rightly or wrongly they take sexual conduct as an indication of character. And because Mr. Hart took a risk that may tell something about what

But not as The Miami Herald printed it. Hurriedly against a deadline, without giving Mr. Hart a chance to explain himself, without finding out more about the woman or giving her an opportunity to tell her story, without discovering

A Better Version

E VEN if Gary Hart stunked a minor test of presidential "character," The Miami Herald stunked a different test when it staked out his house. This is the stuff of which totalitarian journalism could quickly be made.

In a better story, what would happen is that Miami Herald reporters catch FBI agents lurking in the shrubbery near a politician's house and expose them as gross violators of privacy. Then the Herald's editorialists, citing that old aman's-home-is-his-castle business, blast official snoopers to kingdom come.

Unfortunately, in the real story, the Unfortunately, in the real story, the a little sweaty, trying to defend what press has ceased to be a watchdog for cannot be defended in the name of jourprivacy and has become just another instrument of its officious violation. — Syndicated columnist Edwin Yoder...

exactly what the relationship was. A rush job to eatch the second edition.
Whether or not there was sexual involvement, Mr. Hart risked his candidacy on discovery and that is a story of consequence. But because a story is im-

portant does not justify disreputable conduct in gathering it.

That is the second and more significant journalistic issue. We keep callmg for openness from everybody else and we should be as open as we can in the way we gather news. We do not have to tell who our sources are, but I believe that we should not do what is repugnant to decent social conduct.

To me that means we should not masquerade - pretend we are meter-readers when we want to get into a house. Other editors disagree; at least one Pulitzer Prize has been won by a newspaper for an investigation during which staff members used false identities.

I do not believe we should pretend not to be reporters when calling for information. I do not believe we should wire our clothes and bodies to get news. That is for the police, and if journalists act like the police they are betraying their role. And I do not believe that staking out a politician without his knowledge, lurking in the streets and cars through the night, is decent conduct for anybody

except a police officer on official duty.
In part, this is simply a matter of It is not to my taste to hang around somebody's house in the middl of the night to see who goes in and out. It shows a lack of self-respect, a commod-ity a journalist does not have to give up he gets his press card.

It is also a matter of protection of ionmalism and the First Amendment, both of which have plenty of enemies as it is. If a reputable paper like The Miami Herald indulges in sneaking and snooping that its editors would never tolerate around their own homes, that is bad.

But if the rest of the press justifies it, that is worse. We are begging the nation to treat us as unworthy of respect. In time, without any question, we will lose the support of the American public in our constant struggles against those who would crode the First Amendment. We cannot claim it was designed for voyeurs.

What would have happened if The Miami Herald had refused to print the story without getting all the facts, refused to scuttle around in a way that would get a stranger tossed out of the paper's own building? Why, it would have had to delay the

story and maybe lose it to a competitor. A story that juicy would get around and The Herald might have come in second. But its editor never would have had to appear on television, nervous and

nalism — hiding in the dark, listening for squeaking bedsprings. The New York Times.



Hooked on Money: Treatment Is Needed

N EW YORK — How much money is enough? How can people who earn more than \$1 million a year need money so badly that they are prepared to break laws to get even more?

There are obvious reasons: a craving for power, to name one. But what most of us overlook is the fact that some people actually get "high" and "hooked" on money in the same way that others become addicted to alcohol. cocaine and other drugs. An injection of money can make people feel instantly secure, victorious, strong, loved, proudand sexually attractive. Money becomes the antidote to a feeling of insufficiency.

An investment banker who was recently indicted in an insider trading scandal was said to be haunted by his father's bankruptcy even though his annual income was more than \$2 million. He gained pride and respectability through lavish spending. He also went into debt and began providing illegal information to an arbitrageur.

Others crave money to buy relationships. They inevitably pick up the check at restaurants and buy expensive gifts. Their desire to be needed and loved leads some of them to make large charitable donations. Other money addicts are hoarders, and get high on the sense of security gained from counting their riches. Competitive addicts need to make "big numbers" as a sign of masculinity, and other addicts think money makes them wiser. In "Fiddler on the Roof." Tesse said. "When you're rich, they think you know.

By Jay B. Rohrlich

A nonaddict can enjoy the good feelings that come with making, accumulating and spending money, but the elation is always tempered with the acceptance of reality's limitations. The addict, however, lights limits and may feel belittled by them. Time is a particularly upsetting restriction. Patience is often viewed as an enemy rather than an ally. I know of one wealthy executive who steals newspapers from a newsstand rather than

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wait behind the person ahead of him. Another successful but debt-ridden stock broker became so panicked and enraged when a bank officer told him his loan application had been rejected that he had to be restrained by guards and forcibly removed from the bank. His reaction was every bit as extreme as that

of a heroin addict denied his fix. Thinking in terms of money addiction rather than greed puts the problem into a clinical rather than moral framework. We must make value judgments about conduct that breaks laws and hurts others, but a clinical attitude keeps the focus on the humanity of offenders. Defining alcoholism as a disease rather than a sign of moral decadence has led to successful treatment strategies. If money addicts were seen in this light, personal and organizational tragedies could be prevented.

A broker came to Wall Street hoping

that wealth could buy him the sexual confidence he had always lacked. By the age of 25, he was earning almost \$500,000 a year. The euphoric power of so much money took over as an end in itself. He experienced the "highs" of wealth without any foundation under them. He spent every cent he made, and borrowed against the expectation that the earnings would never stop. When he had his first reversals, he frantically began to cheat and steal, not unlike any other desperate junkie. Once caught, he became suicidal.

He also lost hundreds of thousands of dollars for his firm. But a conspiracy of silence had surrounded this obviously troubled man as long as he was bringing the money in. This is the sad part. By the time the problem was acknowledged, it was too late to prevent a disaster.

The first step in the cure of addictions is to confront the usual denial that a problem exists. All addicts believe that they can will their habits away. It is also much easier for them to justify cravings for something that society rewards. That is what makes money addiction so dangerous. It is time to recognize it as a potentially desperate condition, and to develop treatments for it. Money addicts are a danger not only to themselves; in their self-destruction, they take loved ones and colleagues down with them.

The writer, a psychiatrist, is a partner at Harris, Rothenberg Associates, a psychological consulting firm on Wall Street He contributed this com-

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

On a Visa Denied, and on Those Admitted by America

Regarding the editorials "Waldheim Is Unwelcome" (April 29) and "Meese's Brave Stance" (April 30):

In the United States, as in most democratic countries, one is innocent until proven guilty. That requires producing evidence of the alleged guilt. Without the "impressive evidence" being handed over, the gesture of branding the president of Austria becomes an empty one.

Soon after the surrender of Nazi Germany in May 1945, the U.S. authorities started "rewriting" the wartime records of many scientists in order to facilitate their entry into the United States. They were admitted not as fugitives from communism, but to gain the military and scientific secrets left among the spoils of the Third Reich. Those among them who were Nazis will not be sought out, stripped of their fraudulently ob-

tained citizenship or deported.
It is sobering and sorrowful that the
United States, with its its gallant role in delivering Europe from Nazi occupation, has only recently seen fit to change its policy from allowing haven to Nazis to denying it to them. In the light of history, does the United States have the right to take a moral stand on this issue?

T.C.W.VAN MANEN. Wassenaar, Netherlands.

that he earns a living in his native land. If shown that the optimal age for childbearhe should die before I do, my visa will no ing is 23 to 34. The resolution was adopt-longer be renewed and I will have to leave ed unanimously by the 148 member the country. Under international law, 1 countries of the assembly. am responsible for my two minor children, also of Austrian nationality. They may therefore also be deported.

This decision by the Austrian minister of internal affairs has been upheld twice and I am to accept it with no questions asked. Why cannot Mr. Waldheim and other Austrian politicians accept the visa decision of another country when applied

HELEN PLODERER. Salzburg, Austria.

Concern for the Children

Regarding "The Death of a 12-Year-Old Bride" (May 4) by Blaine Harden:

It should be observed that terrible as these cases involving child brides are. condemned because he was well aware of the Nigerian government is seeking to given to whales and seals, the situation of the Jews before 1941 and eradicate such barbaric customs as refused permission for boatloads of Jewspeedily as possible. ish immigrants to land on U.S. shores.

On the other hand, when a situation

At the World Health Assembly's annual meeting in Geneva in 1985. Nigeria Forgotten Five Million co-sponsored with 15 other developing countries. Norway and the United States, a resolution that urged the encouragement of childbearing only when the parents are mature.

The resolution was based upon world-Salzburg, renewable as long as my hushand, an Austrian, is alive and can prove

"to appropriate the Holocaust" and "di-Children, and women too, are still

widely regarded as chattels for exploitation, abandonment or sale. Unfortunately, elimination of the ignorance and brutality shown in these examples is a tremendous problem. It is well understood by most of the leaders of countries where it exists. They deserve, and need, all the support for quicker action that others can give.

P. LIVINGSTONE ARMSTRONG. Fechy, Switzerland,

Is it because the country is African, the victim "just a girl" or the custom approved by religion that citizens of the world fail to trumpet their dismay and disgust? Surely these children deserve at least the same level of concern that is

I was amazed by the remark of Elan Steinberg, the executive director of the World Jewish Congress ("Pope Beatifies Carmelite, Born a Jew, Slain by Nazis, May 2), that the beatification of Edith wide research over 12 years that had Stein could be interpreted as an attempt

minish the uniqueness of what happened to the Jews." The fact that almost ve million non-Jews also perished in the Nazi death camps seems to have slipped his mind.

· PHILIP C. BLAKE

A Healthy Endorsement

Without getting into the particular debate raised in your columns a few months back on childbirth the French way. I would like to add my two centimes to the general discussion of French hospitals.

In my opinion, which is based on experience, they can be superb. The Höpital Saint-Louis in Paris is hidden behind 16th-century walls, and one sometimes expects François I to ride out from under the entryway. Forget the folklore. Inside, there is a modern hospital staffed by doctors and nurses whose skills and dedication are frankly impressive. Above all, foreigners are treated with distinction. Pierre Bérégovoy, the former social

affairs minister, can be proud of what has been achieved - as can Michèle Barzach, the present health minister. ALAN TILLIER.

GENERAL NEWS

Yes, Mr. Waldheim was an officer in

the German Army and denied it by sav-

ing he was a student. I do not agree with

the other hand, if he is to be condemned

for knowing what was happening during the war to Jews and minorities, then the

United States should not grant visas to the entire population of Germany and Austria that is over 60 years of age.

the war in Dachau as an objector to the

regime. At a certain point, when the German Army was failing, those consci-

entious objectors were taken out of the

camps and put to use as soldiers. By this

logic, he too should not be granted a

visitor's visa, because he did not refuse

to go to the front rather than stay in

concerning visas arises in their own coun-

try, Austrians adhere to the written law

and no amount of argumentation will

persuade them to deviate. I. as a North

American, have a two-year visa to live in

Franklin D. Roosevelt should also be

Dachau to face an uncertain end.

My father-in-law was interned during

ethics that guided this behavior. On

Illegal Aliens in U.S. and Europe Face New Restrictions

the Atlantic.

In the United States, the 1986 Immigration and Control Act took effect this week, enabling immigrants who have lived continuously but illegally in the country since before Jan. 1, 1982, to obtain work permits and eventual citizenship. The act will close the job market to other foreigners without work per-

the 12-nation European Community but impose much tougher re- lars. strictions from anyone coming from outside the bloc.

A spokesman for the European Community in Brussels said that by 1992, governments plan to remove barriers within the bloc, which has market each year head north.

considerably strengthened."

The new U.S. amnesty measure will affect three million to four million illegal immigrants, the Immi-

After June 1, employers will be gration officials. liable to heavy fines if they contin-

one, is worried that the law will divide families in which the breadwinner arrived before the cutoff date and dependents followed lat-

The law is causing concern south are considering joint measures that the United States is seen as an will ease travel restrictions within important economic selection. of the U.S. border, where unemwell as an important source of dol-

about 360 million inhabitants.

"There is great anxiety, that is

"The corollary to this," he said,
"is that external ramparts will be de la Madrid of Mexico said. But

With the extension of the European Community to include Medideportations."

ue to employ illegal immigrants.
The Roman Catholic Church, for

The Canadian government, act-Up to two-thirds of the estimat-

ed one million Salvadorans in the United States are there illegally. And as many as half the 900,000 Enropean populations. They make Mexicans who come on the job up nearly 7 percent in France, for Mexicans who come on the job

he said he did not anticipate "mass

The certainty of tougher measures has failed to deter hundreds of illegal immigrants from going in the opposite direction. Some were caught, but the majority slipped past border officials. "We have seen nothing so far that indicates Mexicans are giving up," said a Mexican official in Tijuana.

> ing to stem an expected influx of illegal immigrants from the United States, announced that they would be deported immediately, without a

Immigrants, legal or otherwise, form a large part of most West example, and double that in Swit-

terranean countries that once provided a large proportion of the

of the kind likely to be imposed by the community as a whole have already been adopted by a number of countries. They include suff visa requirements, new controls at airports and fines for airlines and shipping companies that transport illegal immigrants.

In the United States, officials re-

By Barry James
International Herald Tribune
Prospects for illegal immigrants are getting tougher on both sides of the Job market.

After line 1 amounts with U.S. immigrants with U.S. immigrants are getting tougher. After line 1 amounts with U.S. immigrants with U.S. immigrants with U.S. immigrants with U.S. immigrants have a year to come up with records proving their continuous residence in the United States.

Italy has just extended by two months the amnesty it decreed Jan. 27 because only 80,000 out of more than one million foreigners estimated to be illegally in the country have opted for a change in status. Many immigrants fear registration will price them out of their jobs. ported slow business at most of the because employers will be obliged 107 offices set up to process amnesty applications, probably because of widespread wariness about the ians instead.

U.S. Jury Indicts 115, Charges They Laundered Drug Profits

LOS ANGELES — Three reputed top figures in the Colombian drug trade were among 58 people arrested in three cities after what

enforcement history.
The roundup Wednesday culminated a three year investigation. I resulted in the indicaments of 115 people, more than half of whom were arrested in Miami. New York

ing as middlemen, won the trust of the traffickers in hiding the origin At the same time, Panama, using

Undercover agents of the Drug

Enforcement Administration, act-

proceeds from the operation had been deposited.

One reputed leader of the drug operation, José Auli Lopez Chacon, 37, of Bogota, was seized as he stepped off a airliner in Miami. He had been lured from Colombia by undercover agents posing as money launderers, officials said.

of the Medellin drug cartel. Hugo Obando Ochoa, a Colombian fugitive who was one of those indicted.

a \$1.3 million emergency aid package to Angola, Nigeria, Senegal

EUROPEAN TOPICS







Women in Hundwil, Switzerland, watch as male residents vote in local elections. The town is in Appenzell, the only canton that still refuses to grant women voting rights.

Swiss Canton to Study Suffrage for Women

The men of Appenzell. Switzerland's only remaining canton in which women are not allowed to vote, may have to accept women's suffrage, although not this

Last month, male residents voted on local issues as they have for centuries, raising their hands in the town squares of the German-speaking mountain canton in eastern Switzerland. But local officials, faced with the growing protests of Appenzell's women, plan to form a committee of about 20 men and women to study women's suffrage. The study is expected to last about two years, and officials say it is unlikely women will be voting before the early 1990s.

Although Swiss women won the right to vote in national elections in 1971, it was left up to the country's 26 cantons to grant women a say in local affairs. Appenzell is the only canton where men still refuse to do so. They have rejected the idea four times in the last 12 years.

With the pressure growing, some men in Appenzell contend that the town squares are too small for assemblies of both men and women, and that the women's colorful dress clashes with the sobriety of the voting cere-

Britain Drops Project For Toxic Waste Sites

In a surprise move, the British government has abandoned plans for dumping low-level nu-clear waste in shallow trenches in rural England and called off test drilling at four potential sites

around the country.
Opposition politicians, while welcoming the decision, said the Conservative government of Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher made the move only to "save itself electoral embarrassment" in local elections this week. All four potential dumping sites were located in Conservative Party constituencies.

Nicholas Ridley, the secretary

of state for the environment, said the project had been dropped because a recent study indicated that there was no significant difference in cost between burying low-level radioactive waste in shallow sites and developing a deep cavern for dumping both low- and intermediate-level waste.

According to the report by the Nuclear Industry Radioactive Waste Executive, public opposition had driven up the estimated cost of waste disposal in shallow sites by forcing the authorities to do extensive surveys and produce more expensive engineering solutions. The cost was estimated at £160 million to £200 million (\$268 million to \$336 mil-

lion) over the next 50 years, about the same as the cost of a deep depository. Mr. Ridley said a deep site would be more than 300 meters (980 feet) below ground or under the sea bed.

Oberammergau, West Germa-

Around Europe

ny, will change the script of its famous passion play before the next performance in 1990, according to Klemens Fend, mayor of the Bavarian town. The play, in which residents re-enact the crucifixion and resurrection of Christ, has been staged in Oberammergau since 1634. But the 19th-century script now used has been criticized often as anti-Semitic. The text has been altered several times since 1970, but American Jewish leaders said the changes were not sufficient. Mr. Fend said a revised version would be presented to the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'nith and to the German Catholic Bishops' Conference. The play is performed every 10 years.

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Rival Nicaraguan Rebel Groups Agree to Merger MIAMI - Nicaraguan rebel leaders have agreed to merge the largest U.S.-backed insurgent army with rival Costa Rica-based forces

in the guerrilla war against Nicaragua's leftist government, rebel offi-cials said. The new political and military alliance has been named the Nica-

raguan Resistance.

turing of the movement, including the unification of fighting forces into a single "national army." A key provision of the accord was that a new seven-member civilian directorate would be granted

Leaders of the rebels, known as

contras, said Wednesday that the

alliance called for a radical restruc-

full control of the military. The agreement to join forces was expected to be ratified this week by a new 54-member political assembly scheduled to begin meeting Friday in Miami, rebel leaders said. This is a major step towards the

liberation of Nicaragua and toward

the respect of the civilian authority

over the military," said Pedro Joa-

quin Chamorro Jr., director of the

United Nicaraguan Opposition, at

a news conference at the group's Rebel leaders acknowledged that



Pedro Joaquin Chamorro Jr., right, announcing the formation of a rebel coalition, Nicaraguan Resistance, with the group's co-director Alfonso Robelo, Thursday in Miami.

sure to heal the divisions in their the U.S.-backed umbrella group ranks or face the possible loss of whose 15,000-man army is based

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Daffodil Replenishment

There has always been a lively debate as to precisely where the wandering William Wordsworth spotted his "host of golden daffodils," but the vision is to be recreated by the National Trust at Gowbarrow in the Lake District of England, near where the poet lived and wrote. Thousands of wild daffodil bulbs are to be planted to help replace those exten by sheep and picked by tourists, the Trust said.

Stradivari Month in Cremona



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■ The city of Cremona will mark the 250th anniversary of Antonio Stradivari's death this year with a month of concerts by some of the vorid's most celplaying Stradivan instruments. Italian violinist Salvatore Accardo will play in an unusul performance of

easons" in which all the stringed instruments, not just those of the soloists, will be Stradivarii — considered the finest ever made. Other musicians to take part in 12 concerts between Aug. 26 and Sept. 28 include Pinchas Zukerman, Yo Yo Ma, Cho Liang Lin, Henryk Szeryng. Anne Sophie Mutter, Gideon Kremer and Carlo Maria

Collectors and musicians from all over the world have agreed to lend violins and other Stradivari instruments for an exhibition. Stradivari, born in 1644, produced about 1,200 violins, violas, cellos, viols, guitars, mandolins and lutes during his life, and about 650 of them still exist, according to historians.

The city also will offer an exhibition of scores and

music books of the period, and international conferences and workshops on Stradivari, his music and his time plus the problems of restoring antique instruments.

Anthony Quinn and three of his sons will act in an Italian film on the violin-maker's life, to be shot partly in Cremona; there will be records, a catalogue of Stradivati's instruments, commemorative medals and stamps

New Tracks for Cyclists

Tom Sheehan of Off the Deep End Travels, of Jackson, Wyoming, is one of a growing number of tour organizers offering bicycling adventures on almost every continent. Self-described as a "hardcore outdoorsman," Sheehan and his partner were determined to find new and differ-

ent pedaling places, and now list cycling itineraries that include Japan, the Fiji Islands and Tahiti.

David Mczer of Bellevue, Washington, a former
Peace Corps volunteer in Africa, established Bicycle Africa
four years ago and personally leads a selies of five ananal tours to East and West Africa. Open Road Bicycle Tours of Haymarket, Virginia, is leading cycling groups to China, where the bicycle is still a vital daily form of ransportation. American Youth Hostels takes cyclists of any age to New Zealand.

Here is a selection of of some of the unusual cycling

Japan: A 15-day look at Old Japan in a route that moves generally north from Osaka to the Buddhist center of Nikko outside Tokyo. Departure: Oct. 4. Price \$1,475 per person, which includes lodging and two meals a day. Air fare to Japan is additional. Trips also available to Tahin and Fiji. Off the Deep End Travels, P.O. Box 751 I. Jackson, Wyoming, 83001-9971, (800) 223-6833.

• Papua New Guinea. As far as Tom Sheehan of Off

the Deep End Travels knows, the three-week Papua New Guinea adventure is a first for bicycling and is open to strong cyclists only. From the capital city of Port Moresby, the group will head inland "up dirt roads, then jungle tracks and finally alpine hiking trails" to cross the Whartan Mountains. Mountain bicycles with wide, knobby tires and special gears are essential.

Returning to more conventional roads, the second leg of the trip will explore the scenic, and more populated, highlands of the country. Here accommodations will be in hotels. Departure for the full trip: July 29. The land cost is \$1,050 per person. Air fare to Papua New Guinea is extra. Deep Pendis on 1088 land and Indonesia in 1988.

• West Africa: A two-week and a four-week trip are offered this year on an itinerary — depending on the tour — that visits Liberia, the Ivory Coast (see photograph), Ghana, Togo and Benin. There is a strong emphasis on meeting local people and learning the history and culture of the region.

Departure for the 15-day trip is Nov. 21, and the inclusive land price is \$700. Departure for the 30-day trip is Dec. 19, and the land price is \$1,050. On both trips, air fare to Togo is additional. Bicycle Africa, International Bicycle Fund, 4247 135th Place Southeast, Bellevue, Washington, 98006, (206) 746-1028.



 China: The two 25-day itineraries offered by Open Road enter China via Beijing and exit at Hong Kong. Both feature accommodations in guest houses and Westernstyle hotels with private baths. Because China is such a large country, some traveling within its borders is done by plane, train and bus. But there is also plenty of village-

The "Yangtze Valley Adventurer" is a first-timer's overview of China. Stops include Xian, site of the army of terra-cotta warriors; Snzhou, the famed City of Gartera-cotta warriors; Snzhou, the famed City of Gartera-cotta dens; and cosmopolitan Shanghai, Departure; Sept. 18. The land cost is \$2.250 per person.

The "South China Explorer" focusses on the southwestern Chinese province of Yunnan, where cyclists will take rides "out into the countryside to visit pagodas, lakes or local communes." The tour visits Guilin, famous for its limestone pillars and mountains that have been the subject of Chinese paintings for centuries. Departure: Oct. 16. The land cost is \$2,490 per person. Air fare to China is additional. Open Roads Bicvele Tours Ltd., 1601 Summit Drive, Haymarket, Virginia, 22069, Tel. (703)

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Trieste's Grand Canal, only three blocks long, leads from the sea to the church of Sant'Antonio, with Serbian orthodox church to the right.

by Alan Levy

RIESTE, Italy — The Balkans begin at Trieste. And while James Joyce, who wrote the first chapter of "Ulysses" at Via Bramante 4 in 1914, and Giuseppe Verdi, who composed and conducted an early opera, "Stiffelio," for its premiere in 1850 in what is now the Teatro Verdi, could cough at the congestion and cacophony of today's traffic, they might still relish the noble incongruity of a monumental Hapsburg city set on a sparkling Italian bustle and Slovenian smolder do business together and lately, at least, live in peace.

A stepchild of Italy deposited by history on the doorstep of Yugoslavia, Trieste - just off the main route between Venice and Vienna — is still standing tall as a Central Europe southern seaport. Israeli fruit, Middle Eastern and African coffee enter Europe here; Italian trucks are shipped out to Greece and Turkey. In Verdi's and Joyce's times, Trieste was the gateway from West to East; now it's the East's doorway to the West, as day trippers from Yugoslavia throng the markets outside the railroad station and along the Piazza Ponterosso on the Grand Canal, snatching up blue jeans and auto Darts.

A tradition of tolerance has served Trieste well throughout its turbulent history, which includes 537 years as part and port of Austria. Emperor Franz Joseph seems less stern and austere when he's called Franco Giuseppe. Trieste's Grand Canal (only three blocks long) is crowned by the Roman Catholic Church of Sant'Antonio. which looks like a Greek temple, but is dominated by the five blue Byzantine domes of the Serbian Orthodox Church along the side. Around the corner, showing an un-imposing Italian neoclassic face to the port, is a large Greek Orthodox the port, is a large Greek Orthodox Church glittering with icons framed in gold and silver. Trieste claims to be the only city in Italy with a Moslem cemetery. Its synagogue — built in 1912 in Assyrian-Babylonian style with two rose windows encircling the Star of David — holds 5,000, though the Jewish community now numbers 600.

Despite the traffic outside, "Trieste today is an immensely livable city," says a guide, Giovanni Pao-letti. "With a population of a quar-ter of a million, it has the services and cultural life of a city of a million." Regular tour-bus departures, however, are not among Trieste's services; instead, one contacts the Guides Association at the Stazione Maritima, Molo Bersaglieri 3, as much in advance as possible. A licensed guide in any language for one to 20 persons will cost a total of 60,000 lire (about \$46) for half a day or 85,000 for a full day, not including admissions, transport and meals.

Trieste's wealth and grandeur can best be viewed during business hours by tiptoeing into the ornate palace headquarters of insurance companies such as that of RAS at

Piazza della Repubblica 1, with its mosaics, statuary, and gilded ceilings, or the powerful palace of the Lloyd Triestino shipping line on the city's waterfront parade ground and main square, Piazza Unità. Just going to the main post office on Piazza Vittorio Veneto to buy a stamp involves climbing a grand staircase and trying not to stumble while gazing up at a tinted glass ceiling. The harbor hotel where Verdi rested between bouts with 'Stiffelio' is now a bank.

A quality of life from more prosperous times persists. Merchants' houses - each with a wide doorground-floor shop or warehouse while the family lived above on the piano nobile (principal story) — are now divided into flats and offices, but the scale stays large even if the dimensions dwindle. On the second floor of Via San Nicolò 30, where James Joyce and Nora Barnacle rented rooms with a Jewish family until their son Giorgio was born in 1905, the apartment remains divided — into Body Club and a dental

Joyce spent 10 years in Trieste, where he taught English for Berlitz. One of his pupils was a local businessman named Eurore Schmitz, who wrote psychological novels — most notable, "The Confessions of Zeno" — under the name of Italo Svevo. His fiction — introspective. narcissistic, witry, and virtually un-known until championed by Joyce - influenced his tutor immensely. "In Italian, at least, Svevo invented the interior monologue, which Joyce brought to fruition in 'Ulysses," says Gerald Parks, an American poet teaching at the University of Trieste. "And parts of 'Ulysses' and 'Finnegans Wake' are written in the local dialect, Triestino. Joyce also made contact with psychoanalysis in Trieste, which was the first place in Italy where Freud's ideas took hold."

ONG before Svevo and Joyce or, for that matter, Rilke, who wrote his favorite verses, "Duiness Elegies," in the castle of Duino just outside the city, and Stendhal, who came here as French consul in 1830 - Trieste was ahead of its times. It was already known as Tergeste, (from the Sanskrit word terg, meaning mar-ket) in 177 B.C. when Roman legions conquered a fierce people called the Istri, who took little time to assimilate and prosper as Romans. In 33 B.C., Tergeste was for-tified as a walled city; thenceforth its oldest landmark. Riccardo's Arch, has served as gateway to the Old City. Nobody knows who Ric-

From Roman times, Trieste still has its Capitoline hill, a forum, and an amphitheater built Greek style into the hill of San Giusto rather than a walled entity in Roman tradition. This quarter is called Rena. derived from Arena, though no Christians battled lions here. Christianity came in 394, when the Roman Emperor of the East, Theodosius the Great, a Christian, defeated the pagan barbarian le-gions of the Roman Emperor of the

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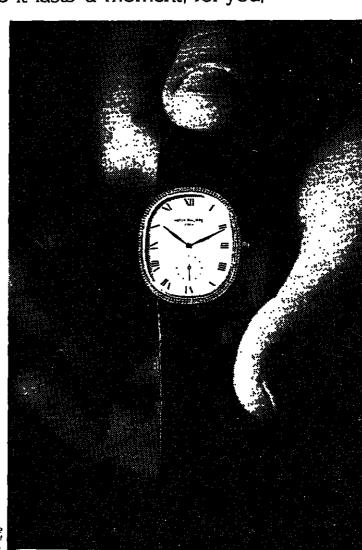
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Bargains in Rental Cars Abound in Buyers' Market

by Roger Collis

F you think that value for money in air travel bears no relation to how much you pay, take a look at car rental. Competition has made it a buyer's market, yet even savvy travelers fail to drive a bargain. This is not a matter of price alone. You may be more concerned with service. quality and convenience. It's more a matter of deciding what you want and figuring out the best deal before you hit the rental desk. I learned a lesson when I rented a car from Hertz at Heathrow on a "time and mileage" rate. I was not aware that after two days the entire rental became chargeable at an unlim-I was mainly using the car on short trips in London. I was angry with the bill. "You'd

Figuring the best deal before you reach the desk

have been just as an angry with Avis," says Andrew James, director of marketing for Avis in England, "You have to know which product you want in advance. If you had wanted a car for one day but for a long distance - the reverse of the case that you've described - you could have taken our unlimited mileage 'one way-one day' tariff."

Renting a car from one of the firms with a desk inside the airport terminal is convenient but can cost you up to 50 percent more than renting from the same firm's downtown office or one of the so-called "off-airport" firms a short ride away by courtesy bus.

If price were the only factor, firms like Avis and Hertz would rapidly end up at the bottom of the heap. What also counts is the number of locations, being able to rent a car in Paris and dropping it off in Munich: tieins with frequent flier bonus programs and other links with airlines and hotel chains; a wide choice of cars, from a Ford Fiesta to a top of the line Mercedes; and high-tech frills

such as self-service rental and return. The big-name firms are turning to hightech in an attempt to avoid price wars in what has largely become a commodity market. For example, frequent travelers can phone in a number which allows the rental agreement to be printed out in advance. All you need to show is your driving license. Avis has introduced a fully automatic system in some locations. Simply by inserting your charge card into a computer terminal before your flight leaves, you can check your reservation, choose the car you want and get a printout showing where it is in the parking lot. Returning the car is just as easy. You

punch in the vehicle number, mileage and fuel gauge reading into the terminal and receive a detailed record of the transaction. Hertz offers computerized driving instructions in eight languages at all major Europe-in airports and rents portable cellular phones to "business car" customers. Avis goes one better for its customers in Britain by offering a phone free; you only pay for the calls. And so it goes.

What irritates many people who rent cars is finding that the price has just about doubled when all those extras are added up collision damage waiver (this can vary from to 20 percent depending on the firm and the country), personal accident insurance and local taxes (for example, 15 percent in England, 25 percent in Belgium and 33½ percent in France) Many firms market a business package with unlimited mileage and no hidden extras (VAT is sometimes quoted separately). For example, Budget has a Business Traveler Program at most major cities in Europe, the Middle East and Africa; Europear Plus is available in Europe and the Middle East for top of the range cars; Hertz has its Business Class tariff with a free "rent than beautiful than a second to the program of the second to the secon it here, leave it there" service at major cities in Europe on rentals of more than 48 hours, discounts with certain hotels and the chance o participate in "Passport to Leisure." a bonus points program with free rentals throughout Western Europe, and Avis has a European Business Class (minimum one-day rental for "Group C" cars - such as a Ford Sierro — and upwards. (One of the best deals is a tariff designed for tourists, Avis's Super Value, a kind of APEX, which offers unlimited mileage and can save you up to 30 percent off Avis's standard rate. The minimum rental is three days and it must be reserved seven days in advance.)

Inclusive rates like these can save you money, especially if you're driving long distances. The snags are that you must pre-book (up to one hour before rental with Avis and Hertz) and you may not be able to get a

Few seasoned travelers pay the walk-in or 'rack-rate" when they rent a car. Discounts come from many quarters; if you're a member of the International Airline Passengers Association, you can claim a discount of up to 20 percent at Hertz and National/Europ-car/Tilden, up to 25 percent at Avis and 10 percent at Thrifty; British Airways Executive Club members get 20 percent off at Avis. SAS offers first and business class passengers (which means everyone who has paid the full economy fare) a special deal with Hertz in 42 cities as part of SAS's Destination Service. This can save you from 11 to 60 percent off the basic tariff. Car rentals can count for up to 1.000 miles in frequent flier programs. You may get a good deal through your travel agent as a corporate discount or as part of a fly-drive arrangement. But most pundits advise dealing direct with a car rent-al company.

SHOPPING

Fine Linen And Old Lace

by Terry Trucco

ONDON — Stephen Lunn. 3 London antiques dealer, holds up a big linen sheet, old and worn. Not long ago it night have wound up in a trash heap. But for a small, ardent following, this old sheet is a treasure. Its appeal lies in the soft, smooth feel that crisp new linen lacks. Renewed interest in antique textiles has burnished its popularity - and its price.

That same interest has spawned a new audience for antique lace, another elegant linea product. European lace has its roots in the 16th century, and there's a vast array from which to choose. Late 19th-century collars, flounces and frills are readily available, but a surprising number of early handmade pieces have also survived. And though prices have risen during the last decade, it is still fairly easy to find good buys. "It's the practical, everyday linens that people seem to want," said Lunn. "With lace, the supply exceeds the demand."

Lunn's shop, on New King's Road, is one of the biggest and most inviting. Lacetrimmed linen sheets, shirts and dresses hang from the rafters like stalactites.

Another dealer, Audrey Field, manages to cram a splendid antique lace selection into the tiniest stall imaginable at Allie's Antique Mart near Edgware Road. Lace covers the deep green walls, offering a crash course in styles, origins and dates. There's just enough room for a couple of chairs and large lacefilled bureaus, each drawer stuffed with a different era's frills. Yet in nine years. Field's modest ground-floor booth has become an objective for lace collectors from all over the

Like many antiques dealers, Lunn is fascinated by what he sells and loves to talk about it. "Linen this strong can even go in the washing machine." Lunn exclaims, holding a 1920s Cyprus linen tablecloth with 12 nap-kins, each decorated with lace. The set sells for around \$400. Yet a large 17th-century Italian altar cloth, handwoven and bedecked with lace, is half the price. "The problem is what do you do with it?" Lunn sighed.

History is part of the appeal of both antique linens and lace. Linen, made from flax, is one of the world's oldest textile fibers. For centuries, wealthy Europeans have slept on linen sheets, the very ones, in some cases, that are so popular now, particularly the lace-decorated Victorian examples.

Antique linen's distinct texture is due to the finer thread produced in earlier times: these finer threads form a more densely



Flemish lappet; a cloth with bobbin-lace border (right). European lace has its roots in the 16th century, and there is a vast array from which to choose.

woven cloth than contemporary thread. Repeated washings also alter the texture. A look through Lunn's magnifying glass shows a big difference between a 19th-century sheet, which looks thick and tightly woven, and a new one, which appears thinner and looser. Washing also changes linen's texture by removing a micromolecular layer from each fiber. Over the years, the fibers grow thinner and softer. Between 15 and 20 washings should soften up new linens.

Those who intend to use antique linens must make certain the sheets are still durable. Folding a soft English sheet with the date 1726 embroidered in a corner, Lunn noted that it would probably rip if it were used. Like other pre-Industrial Revolution linens, this was handwoven and has a distinctive seam where it was sewn to fit a bed (\$450 for two sheets and two pillowcases). But a 19th-century French lace-garnished sheet set (about \$450) straight out of Proust still has plenty of wear left. Linen sheets from the 1930s and '40s cost around \$150, while new ones retail at \$350 and up. Most have been bleached white, though some are creamy beige, linen's natural color. (Collectors who sleep only on linen often invest in a

special stand-up roller iron for around \$900. But some maintain that drying the sheets in the breeze is sufficient.) Lunn also has a large stock of linen garments, including men's shirts, women's nightgowns, lacy blouses and camisoles (from around \$50). But most intriguing are his linen sampler shirts, doll-size high-necked embroidered tops (\$30 to \$150) sewn by novice Victorian seamstresses. Like linens, the laces that are most in demand are those that can be used. whether for clothing or home decoration. Sifting through a drawer, Field selected several examples of lace to be worn - 19thcentury Brussels collars, machine-made Edwardian pieces, and Irish lace and crochet. Pretty and popular, they begin at around

Designers of bridal and evening wear also make regular pilgrimages to lace shops looking for one-of-a-kind flounces and handmade veils. "A young bride in Canada wrote and asked me to select a veil for her wed-ding," said Field, who has a large stock of 19th-century bridal veils fashioned from machine-made net and hand applique (from \$180). She also has plenty of 19th-century lace wraps and shawls (\$60 to \$110).

The more zealous lace collectors seek out 17th-century Venetian lace, 18th-century French lace and similar examples, "like a stamp collection," said Field. That impractical aspect has kept prices low for the old, rare pieces. Among the most sought-after collectibles are 18th-century lappets, long decorative strands that were hung from the hair (\$600 upwards).

Yet ounce for ounce, lace was once costlier than gold, and the wealthy flaunted their lace like jewels. One 17th-century French nobleman complained, "I have spent nearly 4,000 livres on adorning myself, my wife, my daughter and her children, and in my opinion I have never spent money so uselessly."
Baroque lace makers in France, Belgium and
Italy produced laces of extraordinary delicacy and intricacy, employing scores of women for starvation wages. In her excellent history "Lace," Santina Levy, a curator at London's Victoria and Albert Museum, uses wellknown paintings of Europe's aristocracy to illustrate different styles and uses of lace.

There's not much more you can do with fine old lace, but it is too old and rare to cut up and wear," said Field. "And it has sur-

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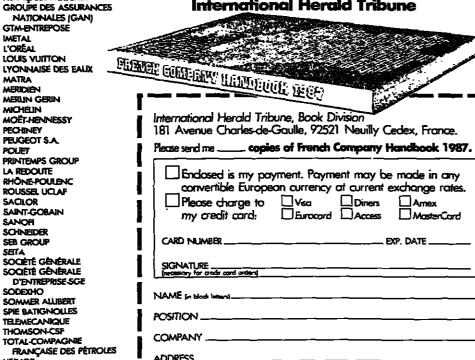
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Trieste

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West, Eugenius, in the rocky and, when the wind is at its fiercest, reaches of Trieste. That epic struggle — in which Theodosius rallied his troops after devastating first day with the cry of "Where is the God of Theodosius?" - went into the history books as the Battle of the Bora — the bora being a raging wind that influenced the outcome and now, nearly 16 centuries later, remains a winter peril in Trieste. Whistling through town from east and northeast at 80 to 100 kilometers (50 to 60 miles) per hour, it sneaks up like a small tornado, depressing the temperature by as much as 10 degrees Centigrade (18 Fahrenheit). When the bora blows. Trieste laces its streets with ropes pedestrians can cling to

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port activity ceases (on an average of three to live days per winter).

Between boras, the port brought Trieste prosperity and the city stayed Christian through onslaughts by Attila the Hun in 453 the sandstone cathedral atop San Giusto hill date back to the fifth century, though the adjacent fortified castle wasn't built until the 14th through 17th centuries. By the 12th century, the city had evolved into an independent commune on land only, for rich and powerful Venice, across the gulf, ruled the waters of the Adriatic, seizing Trieste's ships and plundering its salt trade. In 1382, Trieste took the drastic step of pledging allegiance to the Duke of Austria, Leopold III, and placing itself under his protection while preserving its administrative freedom.

Despite a one-year occupation by Venice and a brief annexation by Spain in the 16th century, not to mention three Napoleonic occupa-tions between 1797 and 1813, Trieste's embrace of the Hapsburgs was one of history's more lasting unions. With the expansion of oceanic trade in the centuries after an Italian sailing under the Spanish flag discovered America in 1492. the mercantile-minded Hapsburg emperor, Karl VI, in 1719 decreed Trieste a free port through which goods could transit — and, in the next century and a half, Trieste's population swelled from 4,000 to 180,000. In 1869, when the opening of the Suez Canal made it the entry point for goods from the Orient. Trieste rivaled Marseille as Europe's leading seaport.

Like a jewel in the Hapsburgs' crown of thorns. Trieste's true wonder perches atop a rocky promontory seven kilometers from the city. The castle of Miramare, a white



Castello di Miramare.

walls in Paris, Vienna, and the Vatican as she tried to save her embattled husband from defeat and the Mexican firing squad that executed him in Querétaro in 1867.

As a young sailor who rose to rear admiral and supreme commander of the imperial Austrian navy by the age of 22, Archduke Maximilian, younger brother of fimperor Franz Joseph, had made his headquarters in Trieste for four years when, late in 1855, the bora blew his fishing boat into a secluded cove. Above it was where he planned and planted Miramare with a 25-hectare (62-acre) park containing formal Italian gardens. California redwoods, a giant sequoia. Monterey cypresses, incense cedars, and a Mexican digger pine from shrubs and seeds sent back rom his travels.

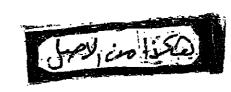
He and Charlotte, later known as Carlotta, moved into their castle on Christmas of 1860, when the ground floor was ready. In 1863, when a delegation of banished Mexican landowners visited Miramare to offer Maximilian the crown of Mexico, he received them in Charlotte's bedroom because the upstairs still wasn't ready. Tempted by glory, he took their bait though he would say later: "The last thing I wish to be is emperor.
All I ask from life is a beautiful castle with a spacious garden over-looking a beach."

Miramare means "to see the sea" and virtually all of its 22 rooms open to the public today (out of 80)

wedding cake of Istrian limestone, afford spectacular views of the was built by that improbable Haps- Adriatic outside - often through burg emperor, Maximilian of Mex-hues of tinted Bohemian (not Veneico, who sailed from here to Vera tian) glass. A state museum since Cruz in 1864, never to return. Here, 1955, Miramare is open year round. his Belgian bride Charlotte retreat- In July and August, there are Suned in 1866 - her mind destroyed day-afternoon strolling chambers of by batting her head against stone concerts in the park and, three nights a week, a Sound and Light show called "Miramare's Imperial Dream:" only Tuesday night's first show is in English, with the voices of John Stride and June Tobin as

Maximilian and Charlotte. Unlike its royal family. Trieste thrived throughout the 19th century and into the 20th, but, with Italian irredentism seeking to "redeem" it for Italy and with the Hapsburg twilight that began at Mayerling in 1889, it went into eclipse and was Balkanized after both World Wars. Ceded to Italy in 1919, the city and province of Trieste became a Balkan backwater of Mussolini's "corporative state." Annexed by the Third Reich after Italy surrendered to the Allies in 1943, it endured nearly two years of German occupation and then, at the end of the war in Europe, 40 days of terror from Yugoslav partisans, who buried thousands of Italians alive as fascists in caves called . foibe that are still visitable as mass graves on the outskirts of the town. Liberated by New Zealand troops in June 1945 and then under Anglo-American military occupation, it existed from 1947 to 1954 as the

"Free Territory of Trieste." In a compromise negotiated under international auspices. Italy regained Trieste, but Yugoslavia took the Istrian Peninsula below it. Thus in the 20th century, Austria lost 76. scaport and Trieste lost its hinter lands - but not its character.



TRAVEL

Celebration of the Conqueror

by Erik de Maunay

AEN, France - In the Calvados region of Normandy, with Caen at its center, lavish preparations are being made to commemorate the 900th anniversary of the death of William. Duke of Normandy, better known as William the Conqueror.

It is fitting that Caen should be the focal point of the ceremonies, since it is here, under his recently restored tombstone in the choir of the Abbaye aux Hommes, that William lies buried. Or rather, all that survives the him, which is one femur in a lead casket, the rest of his remains having been dug up and scattered during the wars of religion and the French Revolution. William built the Abbaye aux Hommes, now the parish church of Saint Etienne, in penance for having marned his fourth cousin, Matilda of Flanders. Manilda is commemorated in the Abbaye aux Dames, on the other side of the city, and has a role of honor in the current festivities.

Ceremonies are also taking place at Falaise, where William was born, and Bayeux, where the celebrated tapestry, commissioned by William's half-brother, the warrior-bishop Odo, vividly depicts the events leading up to the Norman conquest of England.

In Caen, May has been dedicated to Wilham and Matilda. On May 15, in the large open space inside the walls of the château, 200 young people in period costumes will reenact, with songs and dances, the major events of William's reign. The next day, the festive mood will spread even wider, when giant effigies of William and Matilda will be carried from their respective abbeys to meet under the walls of the château, where a medieval banquet, complete with troubadours, jugglers and fire-eaters, will be staged in the evening. On May 17, the two towering efficies will be paraded through the city at

the head of a three-hour procession of giant figures, including the luckless loser, Harold, and the sinister poisoner, Mabille de Belleme. They will be accompanied by horsemen, clowns, decorated floats and several

bands, one coming specially from Sydney. The idea of creating carnival figures sever-al times larger than life has been borrowed from Douai in French Flanders, where they have featured in annual processions for many years past

The massive plaster beads will surmount tall framework bodies made of welded metal reinforcing rods covered with lattices and wickerwork. The dominant figure, William, will stand nearly 25 feet (7.5 meters) tall, carrying a hooded falcon on his wrist. Four men will be needed to carry each of the effigies in procession.

At the other end of the scale, two local artists, Alain Letort and Luc Marie, are creating a multitude of small, two-dimensional pewter figurines — 400 in all — for a triptych which will eventually adorn the altar of Matilda's church, the Abbaye aux Dames. It began when they discovered, in old bouks and manuscripts, details of an almost-forgotten technique known as plat d'étain. This consists of casting flat pewter figures in molds cut into blocks of a special hard slate which has to be imported from Thuringia, in East Germany, the only place in Europe where it is found. It is a difficult technique, and, Alain Letort said, one which he and his partner had virtually to reinvent, since the instructions given in old manuals proved inadequate and confusing. It takes an average of 15 hours to cut the six small molds in each rectangular block of slate with engraving tools, and after being cast, the tiny figures — court ladies, priests and peasants - have to be painted in authentic colors. From mid-May through August, in St. George's Church inside the château wall,

there will be an exhibition on Norman fortresses from William the Conqueror to Richard Lion-Heart, showing 11th and 12th-century military architecture in all the territories covered by the Norman expansion. In the second half of September, the annual Caen Fair will act as host to the English County of Devon, which is twinned with the Calvados district, with jousting and medieval games to recall the tournaments of William's time. Sept. 3-9 historians from both countries will be attending a conference on Anglo-Norman history and civilization, and Oct. 2-4 there will be a congress on medieval archaeology.

All these activities are merely a setting for the main event. The ceremony to mark the 900th anniversary of William's death will take place in the Abbaye aux Hommes on Wednesday, Sept. 9, in the presence of the Prince and Princess of Wales (Prince Charles is a descendant of William).

Why is so much effort is being expended on this anniversary? Of course, civic pride and the need to attract the maximum number of visitors comes into it. But it is perhaps also worth recalling the circumstances of William's death and burial 900 years ago. He was wounded at the battle of Mantes when his horse stumbled and he was thrown forward, impaling himself on the pommel of his saddle. From the battlefield, he was transported to Rouen, where he died in agony. According to the early chronicles, his barons deserted him, and by the time his body was finally brought to Caen for burial, it was in an advanced stage of decomposition. Is it fanciful to conjecture that, by ordering such a lavish panoply of commemorative ceremonies, Caen is making atonement for that earlier dereliction?

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The proposed triumphal arch.

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Italian Genius in Mussolini's Utopia That Never Was

By David Willey

OME - In Rome, there's still time to see an unusual exhibition - it closes after this weekend - of -plans and sketches for a world's fair that never took place, Code-named E42, the fair was to have been the climax of celebrations marking the 20th anniversary of fascist rule in Italy, which began with the march on Rome in 1922.

The exhibition, a modest affair, rather portentously entitled "Utopia and the Scenario of the Regime," is taking place under government sponsorship at Eur, a satellite city of Rome which grew up after the fall of fascism on the site of the aborted world's fair. The sketches and photographs are on display in one of the original fair buildings, which now houses Italy's national archives.

Fifty years after some of Italy's most talented architects, artists and intellectuals submitted their ideas for Mussolini's fair,

modestly entitled "The Olympiad of Civilizations," political taboos about fascism still hang in the air. Two generations of Italians have been brought up to believe that fascist art is bad art.

But what immediately strikes the visitor is the high quality of much of the planning for the buildings for the fair. A 1,000-acre site between Rome and the sea was chosen and cleared in preparation for E42. Twenty miles of roads were built, gardens were landscaped, 14 major buildings arose from their foundations before the project ground to a halt because of the war.

The seven-story Palace of Italian Civilization, one of the few completed buildings, is still the first city landmark glimpsed by the traveler arriving on his way in to Rome from the airport. It was planned to house a gilded equestrian statue of Il Duce.

At first, the plans for E42 sound like so many other 20th-century examples of ideologically inspired art. Yet the closer you examine the projects, the more it becomes

apparent that E42 would have been something more than mere glorification of the regime. It was a coherent attempt to put on show before the world the genius of Italy. The plans both set a style and reflected new ideas, dramatically ahead of their age.

For example, one of the key exhibition buildings was to have been a 4,500-seat cinema, the largest in the world in the 1940s. A graceful aluminum triumphal arch, its base points planted a third of a mile apart, was to have soured over the exhibition. There

was to be a big amusement park. — Mussoli-ni's version of Disneyland. From the town-planning point of view, the E42 project was revolutionary for Rome, a city that for centuries had developed inside the walls built by the 3d-century emperor,

Aurelian, to keep out invaders. The exhibition has attracted widespread coverage in the Italian press, radio and TV, not all of it favorable. But as Paolo Portoghesi, one of Italy's leading contemporary architects, points out in his catalogue note, the

relationship between the city of Rome and its satellite city at Eur has been "like a complicated family affair, involving conflict-ing emotions of love, hope, hate and scorn, followed by renewed hope, mixed this time with a sort of guilt complex."

Portoghesi concludes that it is futile to confuse culture with politics. "Would we judge Michelangelo on the basis of the politics of his patron Pope Julius II, or Pinturic-chio on the basis of the misdeeds of Pope Alexander VI?" he asks.

Late 20th-century Rome has become a prawling mess. An estimated one million buildings have gone up around the city since Mussolini's regime fell without any planning permission at all. High-rise blocks have fortunately been avoided and the skyline inside the city walls of Rome is intact. But a glimpse at Mussolini's imaginary city does provide food for reflection in A.D. 1987. ■

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The Struggle for the Third Star

by Victor de la Serna

ADRID - It has taken so long and against what seemed such odds, that Zalacain's third Michelin star, awarded last month by the renowned and feared French guideook, takes on an air of vindication for the chifed Madrid restaurant. This is the first ime a third star has been awarded in Spain, and it comes after restaurants in five other European nations have been so honored. It has been a protracted and uphill struggle, not just for Zalacain, but for Spain's often maligned cuisine.

Although pre-Civil War Michelin guides generously awarded stars throughout Spain. none was given in more recent times until 1974 A year earlier, a company spokesman had justified the absence of stars in its Spanish edition with a statement that stirred widespread protests in Spain's gastronomic circles. "There are very good Spanish restaurants, no doubt," the spokesman said. "But the Spanish way of cooking is different. If we were to award stars, the tourists would expect to find what they will not find."

Jesus María Oyarbide, a former merchant marine officer and gastronome turned restaurateur, did not share that view. In 1974 after successful ventures in his native Navarre and in Madrid — he opened his luxurious but sedate Zalacain with a clear goal in mind: to elevate it to three-star status. From the start, his chef was Benjamin Urdiain, who had left Navarre at 13 to work in various kitchens in southwest France, then at the Plaza-Athénée in Paris.

Thus, the award to Zalacain did not go to one of those self-employed chefs of the new generation, but to a team venture headed by a restaurateur in the same mold as Jean-Claude Vrinat of Taillevent or René Lasserre, in Paris. Ovarbide, 57, gives this description of his relationship to Urdiain, 48, and of the Zalacain operation: "I inspire the dishes. Benjamin interprets them and my wife, Chelo, gives final approval,"

His chef, Oyarbide says, "is a remarkable technician with a great gift for delicacy." That apparently involves more than cooking techniques — the shy Urdiain is famous for never shouting at anyone in his team of 15 cooks, part of a staff of 68. The Zalacain kitchen is a calm, spotless place where everyone works in silence and seems to know exactly what he has to do.

The Zalacain style "aspires to be high cuisine but always with a Spanish accent, with an effort to update and lighten our own traditions," according to Oyarbide. "I also believe that taste is decisive. With this great passion for presentation in France, I have been served some beautiful but totally tasteless dishes, and that's absurd."

Spanish food writers have stressed that it was a distinctively Spanish restaurant that Michelin chose to honor after years of favoring those serving unabashedly French cuisine. This should encourage others who endeavor to modernize Spain's cookery, often demeaned — in France, particularly — as oily and ensubtle. (Indeed, Madrid's El Amparo, where chef Ramón Ramirez combines French and Spanish trends in a decidedly



Benjamín Urdiain (left), and Jesús Maria Oyarbide at Zalacain.

modern fashion, has just received a second star.) But is Michelin really convinced that Spanish cooking is not really second-rate? Some reports indicate that it took a large number of readers' letters to convince its

editors to finally elevate Zalacain.
Curiously, some of the latest French fashions have Spanish roots, although the French are wary of admitting it. These go from the use of saffron to that of the escabeche tech-

nique for marinades.

Oyarbide says he is "rather amused" by

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the number of coulis or sauces au poivron (bell pepper) to be found in France now. That is a distinctively Spanish influence.

A decade ago, one of the first Zalacain creations to attract widespread acclaim was fresh saimon with a green bell pepper sauce. The idea was derived from the old Basque fishermen's stew, marmitako, made of fresh tuna and bell peppers. Such study of and improvement on Spanish dishes has been a hallmark of Zalacain. So has been the use of Spanish raw materials, from humble but delicious Navarrese vegetables, such as the newspaper El Pais in Madrid.

sensational peeled broad beans, to a smooth goose foie gras made on a Madrid area farm.
Dishes don't stay forever on the Zalacain

menu — the latest version of salmon is one with dill and broad bean sauce. A delightfully spiced duck sausage with mixed salad was introduced recently. Other current offerings include a stew of langostinos (the delicate, pink-and-white striped Mediterranean shrimp) in Basque cider; hake steamed with basil on a bed of chard puree; lamb kidneys roasted in their own fat, with pisto, Spain's ninėrade.

When President François Mitterrand was Prime Minister Felipe González's guest at last month's French-Spanish summit meeting in Madrid, Zalacain was asked to serve the state dinner at Moncloa Palace. The menu: cold Navarrese asparagus cream. scallops with Galician albarino wine, stuffed cabbage with goose and truffles, and a pistachio ice cream with fresh oranges and strawberries and a bitter chocolate sauce.

The great red wines from Rioja and the Douro valley, the fast improving whites from Galicia and Catalonia are duly represented in the line Zalacain cellar. And, although not exactly cheap, this is probably the least expensive of the 27 three-star restaurants throughout Europe.

Zalacain, Alvarez de Baena 4, Madrid. Phone (34-1) 261 10 79. Closed Saturday hunch and all day Sunday, the week before Easter and in August. Average price per diner is 8,000 to 10,000 pesetas (\$65 to \$80). Credit cards: American Express, Diner's.

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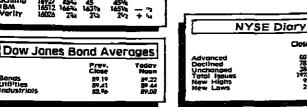
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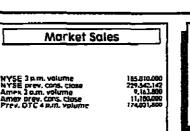
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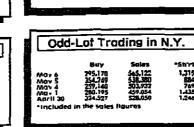
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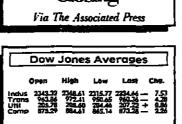
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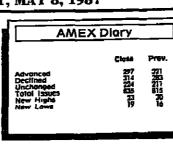
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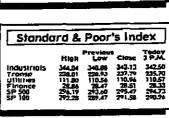
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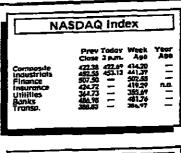


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Stock Exchange eased Thursday as nervous traders awaited the outcome of the last stage of

the Treasury's quarterly financing.

At 3 P.M., the Dow Jones industrial average was down 9.66 points to 2.332.53. Gaining stocks roughly matched the number declining. Volume totaled 185.10 million shares, up from 161.76 million in the came period Wednesday. 164.76 million in the same period Wednesday. The Treasury was winding up its refunding Thursday with the sale of \$9.25 billion in 30year bonds. Many analysts regard the auction as pivotal for the U.S. interest-rate outlook.

Although most U.S. stock market tables in this edition are from the 4 P.M. close in New York, for time reasons, this article is based on the market at

If buyers — in particular, Japanese investors — bid for the bonds in force, observers believe, it might signal a stabilizing dollar in foreign

exchanges and relief from the recent upward pressure on interest rates.

But a generally lackluster response to sales of three-year and 10-year notes Tuesday and Wednesday raised some doubts about the attractiveness of U.S. dollar securities, even at

recently higher yields.

Hugh Johnson, head of the investment policy committee at First Albany Corp., said that the market was dominated by this nervousness. Mr. Johnson said that the financial markets have been "slugging their way through" this week's Treasury auctions, but that once the bond sales are out of the way, stocks might be

able to move higher.

NEW YORK — Prices on the New York results of the auction, agreed Al Goldman, a stock Exchange eased Thursday as nervous stock market strategist at A.G. Edwards & Sons

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in St. Louis.

Mr. Goldman said that futures-related selling pressured the market, which mostly ignored rising bond prices. He contended that the market had enough steam to move the Dow up to just under the 2.400-level, but he said that the "one-note" focus on the Treasury auctions Thursday indicated that investors lacked con-

viction that the market will move higher.

Noting Thursday's heavy trading volume,
Mr. Goldman observed, "There's a lot of noise The NYSE's composite index of all its listed

common stocks lost 0.33 point to 166.14, while on the American Stock Exchange, the market value index was up 0.95 point at 332.00. Navistar International was the most active NYSE-listed issue, up % to 8. Shearson Lehman followed, trading at 34 in an initial public offer-

Among other oil stocks, Phillips Petroleum, merada Hess, Schlumberger, Occidental Petroleum, Exxon. Chevron and Baker Hughes

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But despite USX's progress in

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But while USX officials talk

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TECHNOLOGY

For an Insect-Free Tree, Try 'Forestry in a Flask'

By ANDREW POLLACK

New York Times Service AVIS, California — In a laboratory here, tall redwoods from little test tubes grow. The laboratory, run by Professor Don J. Duzzan of the University of California at Davis, is one of a increasing number of universitry and industrial facilities that are trying to apply the techniques of biotechnology to forestry.

The researchers are trying to mass-produce clones of trees from cells growing in laboratory cultures. They are also beginning to introduce new traits into trees using recombinant DNA technol-

ogy, which is also known as gene splicing.

The goal of such work is to produce trees that grow faster or are

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resistant to disease, insects or acid rain. Lumber companies tend to cut the best trees first and are under pressure to replenish stocks as fast as they remove them. Trees take decades to reach maturity, so there can be a big payoff in breeding better trees or in reducing the time before trees

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can be harvested Paper companies would like to have trees that are rich in cellulose, which can yield more paper and less waste products. The same genetic techniques could also be applied to fruit trees, but with the opposite goal: to produce trees with almost no wood. "We're trying to get fruit, not wood," said Mr. Durzan. "Why should we have to have ladders to collect the fruit? Why

should we have to prune?" Foresters have tried to produce better trees in the past through conventional breeding, but the task has been far more difficult than with agricultural crops and animals. A new generation of corn can be grown each year, but trees might take 20 years or more to mature and produce the seeds for the next generation. Seeds are also somewhat imprecise. Instead of passing on a desired trait from one parent, they might pass on an undesired

trait from the other parent. Once a desirable tree is found, it also

might not produce enough seeds to quickly restock the forest. So foresters are relying more on cloning. With this technique, genetic copies of a desirable tree can be made in large quantities. UCH OF clonal forestry has been pioneered address, said William J. Libby, a forestry and genetics professor at the University of California at Berkeley. Scandinavians have cloned Norwegian spruce, and New Zealanders, Monterey pine. The Ontario Ministry of Forests has a huge UCH OF clonal forestry has been pioneered abroad.

cloned forest of European poplars.

In the United States, Weyerhaeuser Co. uses cloning for ornamental trees in its nursery business and has a huge pilot project aimed at cloning trees for timber. The Simpson Timber Co. in northern California is cloning coast redwoods.

Cloning has been achieved for years by taking a cutting from a tree and rooting it. But this technique does not work well with some conifers, the softwood trees such as pine that are most important for the lumber industry.

A newer technique, known as micropropogation, allows shoots to be generated from the tissues of trees in cultures. This method is in use by some forest companies. A still newer experimental technique, known as somatic embryogenesis, can create multiple embryos from a mass of cells. The embryos can be encapsulated in a gel and stored as artificial seeds.

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Since the cells can be rapidly multiplied in culture, this technique, pioneered at Davis and a few other labs, could lead to mass production of desirable trees. "You can have hundreds of thou-sands of embryos in a one liter flask," said Paul Webb; chief-scientist at Agrogen Biotechnologies, a forest genetics company in Vancouver, British Columbia.

Forest biotechnology, sometimes dubbed "forestry in a flask," still faces numerous obstacles. Scientists still can't dependably get whole trees to grow from cells or from embryos. The process also is still too expensive for widespread use, and there are environmental risks. A forest of cloned trees could lack genetic diversity, so that a disease that kills one tree would kill them all.

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Seoul To Prepay 3 Loans

Foreign Banks Get \$1.4 Billion

HONG KONG - In an effort to reduce South Korea's politically embarrassing buildup of foreign reserves, government-owned institutions are planning to prepay three loans to international banks this month totaling \$1.4 billion, bankers said Thursday.

The move accelerates a policy signaled in February when the government said it would prepay a \$650 million loan.

The reserves have grown because of Seoul's aggressive export policy, which last year produced a \$4.6 billion surplus on its current account, the widest trade measure.

Foreign bankers have said that the repayment policy is serving a dual purpose. First, it will reduce the reserves and therefore the pressure from the United States and other nations for Seoul to revalue its currency and thereby make its exports somewhat less attractive.

But it will also assure a better reception for the country when it renegotiates much of the remaining debt in line with the worldwide reduction in lending terms, bankers said. Of South Korea's \$44.5 billion in foreign debt, about \$35 billion is owed to commercial banks.

Bankers here said that Korea Exchange Bank would prepay \$500 million May 26, while Korea Development Bank and Korea Export-Import Bank will prepay \$600 million and \$300 million on May

The loan to be prepaid by Korea Development Bank, for example, was signed in October 1984. It carried an eight-year maturity and charged initially 5/8 percentage point over the benchmark London nterbank offered rate, or Libor, rising to 3/4 point later.

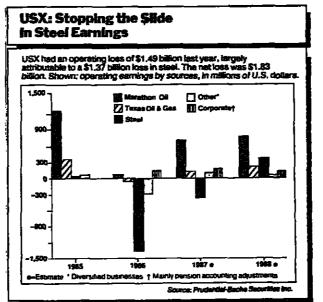
The development bank is already seeking better terms for a \$500 million loan signed in 1983. This also had an eight-year maturity, but the bank wants the lending margins to be 1/8 to 1/4 points over Libor.

But Steel Sector Is Anemic, and Union Is Angry By Jonathan P. Hicks New York Times Service NEW YORK — USX Corp.'s largest steel plant, in Gary, Indiana, houses the company's most modern piece of steelmaking

A Leaner USX Recasts its Future



An Orem, Utah, plant was one of four closed indefinitely.



of its history as United States Steel. Its leaders have long given sermons on how investment in modern equipment, not labormanagement cooperation, is the way to improve productivity and

ing new to the Pittsburgh-based USX, which was known for most But the plant closings and the layoffs of 3,700 of the company's

22,000 steelworkers since the stoppage ended in February have clearly caused USX's relations with its workers to deteriorate. If that is in keeping with tradition, many union officials, competitors and labor relations experts question whether it is a See USX, Page 15

CGE Offering Is Set to Raise 24 Billion FF

By Axel Krause

International Herald Tribuni PARIS - In what would be France's largest securities offering ever, the government said Thurs-day it would sell its holding in Compagnie Générale d'Electricité to the public for 290 francs a share, or nearly 24 billion francs (about \$4 billion).

The sale will take place in three steps, beginning Monday with an offering to the public of 27.7 million shares, representing 70 percent of CGE's capital or about 8 billion francs. The offer will be open until May 23, the ministry said. Ten percent of the total 39.6 mil-

lion shares being sold will be offered to company employees, or retired employees, at discounts of up to 20 percent. A maximum of 20 percent will be offered to foreign investors, mainly in West Europe-an capitals and in the United States, representing 7.9 million shares, or about 2.3 billion francs. The second step, which was an-

nounced last month, is a new issue of 21.8 million shares that would generate 6.3 billion francs. The third step is the conversion of 21 million of CGE's nonvoting shares outstanding, or about 6.1 billion francs, into the new shares.

19. the ministry said. CGE, France's second-largest industrial company, was nationalized by the Socialist government in

That offer will be open until June

The U.S. offering, which is ex-Galbraith said. pected to generate about 400 mil-Financial an lion francs, followed a significant easing of rules for foreign investors

established by the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission. The change was made after lob-bying by French officials and U.S. bankers and investors. Several U.S. institutional investors bought relatively small amounts in Compagnie Financière de Paribas and Com-

pagnie de Saint-Gobain, when they were denationalized. The SEC ruled that substantial

Public Bank Sale Foreseen in June

Agence France-Presse

PARIS — Societé Générale, France's third-largest bank, could be denationalized June 15 or 22, sources said Thursday. Also on Thursday, the Eco-

nomics and Finance Ministry said that the public offer for the bank "should normally be issued before the start of summer." The statement came in a communique announcing the off-market sale of 20 percent of the Société Générale shares intended for permanent share-

The ministry said that offers for the 2.75 million shares being made available now for perma-nent shareholders must be submitted by June 9.

"We have set a precedent here," said Evan G. Galbraith, a former U.S. ambassador to France and now a director of Morgan Stanley International, a New York investment bank. The bank directed CGE's offering. "Thanks to the SEC ruling, we

now are able to offer large amounts of shares in a major French company - simultaneously inside and outside the United States," Mr.

Financial analysis, brokers and bankers in Paris and New York said that although the share price was slightly higher than anticipated, the offering would prove attractive to investors.

"Clearly, the French public will find the offer attractive," said J. Paul Horne, the Paris-based economist of Smith Barney, Harris Upham & Co.

The French government, which owns 87.5 percent of CGE, plans to amounts of the CGE shares could include almost all of its shares in be placed in the United States, but the offering, but a group of state-only with large institutional inves-tors and on the condition that in-about 8 percent of the total after vestors not resell to other Amerithe share increase, CGE sources

Hanoi Uses Mobil Find To Start Exporting Oil

By Michael Richardson Internutional Herald Tribune

SINGAPORE - Vietnam has started to export crude oil on a trial basis from a new offshore field, a development that will reduce its dependence on the Soviet Union for vital petroleum supplies.

The field, discovered by Mobil Corp. of the United States in the closing stages of the Vietnam war, has been brought into production with Soviet assistance. Officials in Hanoi have forecast that Vietnam will be self-sufficient in oil and exporting to foreign buyers by 1990. They said that the first cargo of

nearly 550,000 barrels was sent recently to Japan for refining. This was confirmed in Tokyo. Nguyen Van Linh, leader of

Vietnam's ruling Communist Par-ty, was quoted by Hanoi radio as saying that the oil industry would play a central role in reviving the country's economy.

Mr. Linh, who was elected at a

party congress in December, heads a group of Vietnamese leaders who want to apply a more pragmatic form of socialism. Their approach involves greater use of material incentives, small-scale private enterprise, the decentralization of economic controls and foreign

Several Western oil companies, including Petrolina SA of Belgium. Broken Hill Pty. of Australia. Agip SpA of Italy, Societe Nationale Elf Aquitaine of France and Kaiyo Oil Ltd. of Japan, have held talks with Hanoi over the past 18 months about terms for participating in offshore oil exploration and pro-

been at a standstill since late last year, apparently because of the extensive changes in the Vietnamese

Other oil industry sources in Singapore who have visited Vietnam said they believed that some Vietnamese officials want a renewal of Western involvement. But Soviet officials have contended that it is better to simply buy the necessary technology and equipment from the West, the sources said.

The Soviet Union became Vietnam's sole foreign partner in 1981 after the last of four Western oil companies — from Canada, West Germany, Italy and France -

Since then, two advanced oil exploration rigs, a crane vessel and other equipment have been ordered from Singapore, which is the main oil service and construction center in Southeast Asia.

Mr. Linh has sold oil workers that production of crude this year should reach more than two million barrels, seven times the 1986 out-

Nguyen Ngoc Cu, deputy direc-tor-general of Vietsovpetro, said in October in an interview with the Vietnamese Communist Party daily. Nhan Dan, that oil output is expected to reach more than 17 million barrels a year by 1990.

That is the equivalent of about 46,600 barrels a day of crude. It is only a fraction of the 1.2 million barrels a day produced by Indonesia and the 600,000 barrels a day produced by Malaysia, Southeast

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A spokesman for Petrofina's re- Asia's two main oil exporters. IMF Denies Zambia's Charge Amid Concern Over Its Image

By Clyde H. Farnsworth New York Times Service

WASHINGTON — For the first time, the International Monetary Fund has openly challenged criti-cism by one of its members amid rising concern over its image in the Third World.

The unusual exchange between the fund's managing director, Mi-chel Camdessus, and Zambia's president, Kenneth Kaunda, also points up the financial pressures on Zambia. Like other African nations. Zambia is paying far more to the IMF than it receives in loans.

Zambia, which owes \$1 billion to to 10 percent of its export earnings. and cooperative relations."

According to press reports from Lusaka, Zambia, Mr. Kaunda then accused the IMF of waging a 'smear campaign" to destroy the Zambian economy.

In December, at least 15 persons died in riots after the price of maize meal, Zambia's staple food, dou-bled. The government had ended the maize subsidies at the advice of the IMF. In a telex made public Wednes-

day by the IMF, Mr. Camdessus responded to Mr. Kaunda's remarks, declaring, "I can state unequivocally that such reports have no foundation.

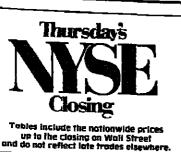
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Commodity Exchange Resumes Normal Hours

New York Times Service

NEW YORK — The New York Commodity
Exchange returned to normal trading hours
Thursday after three consecutive sessions shortened by more than two hours so that a backlog
of transactions in gold and silver could be sorted out.

The exchange's board voted Wednesday to restore normal hours, but in spite of outward signs that stability is returning, there were indi-

signs that stability is returning, there were indi-cations that the Comex is still reeling from last week's hectic silver trading.

Even though exchange officials and broker-ages have been working feverishly, many of the trades executed on April 27, when the price of silver moved by more than 40 percent in the space of eight minutes, are still unmatched.

The Chicago Board of Trade, which trades smaller silver and gold contracts, informed ma-jor precious metals companies Wednesday that it would waive entry and clearing fees through the end of May if the companies wanted to trade silver in Chicago instead of on the Comex.

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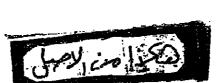
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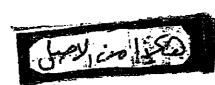
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Rolls-Royce Offer Is Oversubscribed

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Shares than originally allocated. ish government's share issue of lion (\$2.3 billion). Investors can Rolls-Royce Ltd. before the offer pay for their allotment in two inclosed Thursday, Geoffrey Pattie, stallments, and the shares are exthe minister for information tech-

A half-mile line formed outside the main accepting bank in London as investors rushed to beat a 10 A.M. deadline for the public offer of 800 million shares. A spokesman for the underwriting group said that the offer was heavily oversub-

change begins on May 19

Officials said that sorting of applications would continue through

ings figures for sicel, and Mr.

tighter import restrictions in the

the weekend. The company then will decide how to administer pro-

Hoesch Profit Declines 32%; Write-Downs, Dollar Cited will be allowed to own more than last three months of 1986. He said

DORTMUND, West Germany that Hoesch Stahl had reported no - Hoesch AG's group net profit profit for last year as a whole. fell 32 percent last year to 270.5 million Deutsche marks (\$152 mil-

The figure compares with a group net of 395.4 million in 1985. Hero Brahms, a management board member, said that the iron purchasing power of oil and comand steel company had faced parnicular burdens last year, including time of worldwide overcapacity major stock write-downs, mainly because of the lower value of the

Provisions for planned reductions in personnel had cost the sible for a 13.6 percent fall in steel group 150 million DM in 1986 and revenue to 3.67 billion DM in 1986. provisions for repayment of gov-ernment aid another 50 million 9.2 percent to 308.8 million DM DM. These measures affected steel from 282.9 million in 1985, with results particularly, he added.

Mr. Brahms said that the steel subsidiary, Hoesch Stahl AG, had

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pected to rise considerably when percent to employees and the rest trading on the London Stock Ex-

"It gets us off to a flying start," subscribed, the public's allotment Sir Francis Tombs, the company

be reduced to 50 percent. The government took steps to insure that Rolls-Royce, a major military contractor, remains under British control. No shares were sold abroad and foreigners were barred from buying more than 15 percent of the total. No single shareholder

The government had said that 60

percent of the shares would be allo-

to the public. But if the public of-

fering were more than twice over-

would increase to 40 percent and

the institutional allotment would

10 percent. The government also said it was retaining a "special share" to allow it to veto any takeover.

The Conservative government has already returned more than 40 The group does not publish earn-percent of the state-run industrial lion at current rates), the company said Thursday.

Brahms declined to give a comparison for Hoesch Stahl's 1985 results.

Brahms declined to give a comparison ferings have included Britcil, the son for Hoesch Stahl's 1985 results. Hoesch's annual report said that the natural gas monopoly; British Telecom, the telecommunications United States and a drop in the giant, and British Airways.

The proportion of the British modities-producing countries at a public that owns shares has climbed from 7 percent in 1979. when Prime Minister Margaret had exerted enormous pressure on Thatcher came to power, to about 19 percent now. The drop in prices as well as

Rolls-Royce was rescued from

collapse by the government in 1971. At the same time, Rolls-Rovce Motors Ltd., the luxury car maker, was split off into a separate company. Since the rescue, Rolls-Royce

sales falling 16 percent to 2.21 bilhas returned to profitability. It reported a record pretax profit of £120 million last year, up 48 per-Mr. Brahms said that revenue returned to profit in the first quar-fell about 8 to 9 percent in the first cent from £31 million in 1985. ter after sliding into the red in the 1987 quarter from a year earlier. (Reuters,

Beatrice Cos. to Split in 2: One Public and One Private

CHICAGO - Beatrice Cos., a year after becoming privately owned in one of the largest leveraged buyouts, will go public again. Beatrice plans to split in two, offering a consumer products company to the public and keeping its food company private, according to company and industry officials.

In a transaction completed in April 1986, Donald P. Kelly, Beatrice's chairman and chief executive, and the New York investment firm of Kohlberg, Kravis. Roberts & Co. paid \$6.2 billion for Beatrice. Mr. Kelly has sold more than \$3.4 billion of the company's assets. including a Coca-Cola bottling company, Avis car rentals and Playtex International. Still, the company has \$4.32 billion in long-term debt, according to a recent filing with the Securities and Exchange Commis-

sion. Proceeds of the public offering are expected to be used for debt incurred in the buyout. Mr. Kelly would direct the consumer products business, which includes Samsonite luggage, Culligan water-treatment equipment and Jensen loudspeakers. A company official said that the new concern

would be named Esmark International Inc. The food company, as yet unnamed, is expected to be headed by Frederick B. Rentschler, Beatrice's president and chief operating officer. Its brands include Tropicana orange juice and Peter Pan

Alfa Group Near Settlement With Foreign Bank Creditors

and petrochemical group, is in the final stages of a debt restructuring in which foreign bank creditors will ing company, Alfa has announced.

approved the agreement, which agreed to in October, in the most covers \$943 million in foreign debt.

The group's total debt is \$2.7 bil
tor debt.

The Monterrey-based company reached agreement with its foreign bank committee on the plan in De-

The agreement also allows for

million in government paper, cartake a 45 percent stake in the hold-rying the same terms. 13/16 percent over the London interbank of-Shareholders met last week and fered rate for 20 years, as those In addition, creditors will receive

\$25 million in cash.

acceptances would be in.

The exchange rate for the capitalization plan will not be set until it is ratified, he said.

The company was founded in 1974 around Hylsa, Mexico's largest privately owned steel company. and Titan Carton Co., a paper and packaging maker. It grew more than 50 percent a year through 1980, diversifying into tourism, real estate, communications, consumer appliances and petrochemicals.

But in 1981, imports and tight credit slashed earnings and led to a \$234 million loss. The company suspended debt principal payments in April 1982 after a 40 percent

MEXICO CITY — Grupo In-dustrial Alfa SA, the Mexican steel spokesman said Wednesday.

foreign creditors to receive \$200

The capitalization plan was sub-

mitted to shareholders with the understanding that it would not become effective until all creditors had accepted. The spokesman said that the process had been lengthy because of the time needed by many banks to endorse the plan, and he could not predict when all

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David N. Hudson for the new posi-

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By Arthur Highee International Herald Technic The victory that has been won over inflation is in danger of being bout management changes to: undermined by world trade unbal-Business People ances and international debt prob-International Herald Tribune lems, says Sir Jeremy Morse, chair-181 av. Charles de Gaulle man of Lloyds Bank PLC. 92200 Neuilly Cedex

"We have decisively turned back inflation and the inflation expectations of the 1970s," Sir Jeremy said Wednesday at an annual dinner in New York of the institute of Foreign Bankers, "But we are in severe dunger of losing the peace." don-based international invest-

Sir Jeremy said he was disappointed that recent international monetary meetings had not produced a commitment to fiscal restraint in the United States and more stimulative policies in Japan and West Germany.

He said that ministerial talks next week at the Paris-based Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development and the economic summit meeting in Venice in June would be the last opportunity for major countries to establish that they are going to work together, and to convince financial markets of their resolve. Sharon Steel Corp.'s chief oper-

ating officer. Walter Sieckman, has resigned, citing differences with Victor Posner, the Florida financier who controls Sharon. Mr Sieckman, 55, had worked for Mr Posner for 20 years at various Posner-owned companies. Sharon recently filed for protection from creditors under Chapter 11 of the Federal Bankruptev Code.

"There are some differences of opinion." Mr. Sieckman said. "His opinion counts. He's the boss." He refused to say whether the disagreements were connected with the bankruptey reorganization.

Sharon, the 12th-largest U.S. steelmaker, is based in Farrell,

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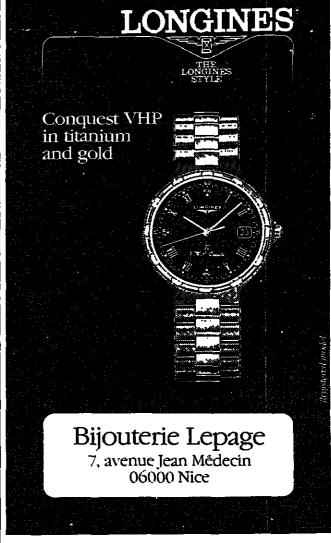
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subsidiary of Cantor Fitzgerald Securities Corp. of New York, has named John J. O'Connell, 50, as manager of Eurobond trading in London, Mr. O'Connell, 50, an American, had been a corporate first vice president in New York.

Citicorp Investment Bank of New York has recruited Ian Mackintosh as vice president in charge of what Citicorp calls its "Eurosecurities origination team." which helps corporations, governments and financial institutions in the United States and Canada raise funds

Mr. Mackintosh. 47, comes from Chase Manhattan Capital Markets Corp. He succeeds Philip Sherman. also a vice president, who is now 41. currently is head of corporate working on Citicorp's capital strucfinance at James Capel & Co., the ture side.

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The three Canadian gold pro-

TERLAND ducers announced Wednesday that Mines owns 57 percent of Campthey had agreed in principle to bell Red Lake. merge through a stock swap valued lars (\$4.03 billion). The merger would create North America's big- Moss Lawson & Co.

which has extensive gold, silver and energy interests worldwide. Dome

"The bigger the company, the at about 5.4 billion Canadian dol- more expensive to take over," said Vay Jonynas, a mines analyst with

Kandom to Acquire 3 U.K. Publishers

LONDON — The American has agreed to acquire more than 75 publisher Random House has percent of the British companies agreed to take over three of Britain's prestige literary imprints, Chatto & Windus, The Bodley Head, and Jonathan Cape, the British companies announced Thurs-

day,
The takeover for an undisclosed Patrick White, Nadine Gordimer sum is the latest in a series that has swept through the once-staid Brit- and Alexander Solzhenitsyn. publishing world in recent years. The acquisitions have an make what I believe will be a formi-Graham Greene, who believes that dishing group," Mr. Greene said. was 70.3 million writers are being given short shrift He said that the takeover was of 435.8 million. writers are being given short shrift unrelated to a threat last month b

Random House, which comprises Alfred A. Knopf, Pantheon, ley Head, his publisher for a quar-Villard, Times Books, Vintage, The ter of a century, if administrative Modern Library and the paperback changes were not made.

Dome Mines' major shareholder, debi-laden Dome Petroleum Ltd... had said previously that it wanted to sell its 21.5 percent stake. Mr. Takeover speculation recently Jonynas said rumors had arisen that Noranda Inc. was interested in

bidding for the stake. "Some people might think it might be a protection against Noranda," he said.

John ing, a gold analyst with Maison Placements Canada Inc., said, "Dome and Placer were both looking over their shoulders and now they can both look straight

The three companies' combined 1986 gold production totaled about

Placer shareholders would own about 45 percent of the new company. Dome Mines 37 percent and shares and would seek to but the remainder, said Graham Carlton Campbell Red Lake the rest. The agreement is subject to a Greene, nephew of the novelist and definitive agreement, approval by chairman of the three British firms.

Other authors published by the and regulatory approval. British imprints include John Dome Mines earned 71.6 million Fowles, Gabriel Garcia Marquez, Canadian dollars in 1986 on revenue of 293 million dollars, while Campbell Red Lake earned 29.1 "We are combining forces to million dollars on revenue of 187.7 gered such prominent authors as dable world English-language pub-

the three companies' shareholders

Volvo's Stake In Pharmacia Grows to 43%

STOCKHOLM - Volvo AB, the Swedish automaker, boosted its interest in the bio technology industry Thursday by enlarging its stake in Pharmacia AB from 31 percent to 43

Analysis valued Volvo's purchase of 1.59 million shares in the Swedish pharmaceuticals company at about 250 million kronor (\$40.3 million).

Analysts said that the transction suggested that Volvo still saw an advantage in building a major role for itself in the pharmaceutical industry despite the collapse last year of plans to link with Fermenta AB, another Swedish biotechnology group. Volvo canceled the plan after

was revealed that Refazt el-Saved, Fermenta's founder, had lied about his academic training. Fermenta later was expelled from the Stockholm bourse after auditors found irregularities in profit forecasts.

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COMPANY NOTES

Bank of Montreal Capital Markets is making its debut as a lead manager in the Eurobond market with a 60 million Canadian dollar (\$45 million) bond for the City of Montreal. The noncallable bond matures on June 25, 1992, pays 10 percent and is priced at 101%. It is

available in denominations of 1.000 and 10.000 Canadian dollars. Boliden AB, the Swedish mining and metals company, said it had sold its stake in Volvo AB, amounting to 1.8 percent of the voting rights, to the investment company Custos AB for 240 million kronor

(noillim 052) Dunlop France SA, a subsidiary "I Japan's Sumitomo Rubber In-dustries Ltd., will produce belts, rollers and other rubber parts for photocopiers. The subsidiary will invest about 100 million yen (\$720,000) to start production at its

plant in Amiens, north of Paris.

Kiöckner-Humboldt-Dentz AG,
the maker of engines and industrial machinery, announced that the dividend for 1986 would be 4.5 Deutsche marks (\$2.50) a share, half of the 9 DM dividend for 1985. Metallgesellschaft AG plans to

group one-third of its main foreign mining interests under a new Canadian holding company and to float the company on the Toronto Stock 3.32 billion in 1986. He said car Exchange under the name Metall Mining Corp., which will have an estimated market capitalization of

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won a plant order worth 12 billion yen (\$86 million) from Techmashimport, a Soviet import concern. The plant, designed to produce acrylic solvent for adhesive and paints, will be finished by 1990.

subsidiary Syntax SpA would become a holding company grouping Olivetti's software units. Syntax will change its name to Generali di Sviluppo Servizio è Sistemi Soft-ware SpA. Syntax currently has controlling interests in 7 companies

the software sector. Ricoh Co. of Japan will stop sup-plying computer workstations to Convergent Technologies Inc. of the United States this fall because of the yea's increase in value against the dollar. Monthly shipments of workstations marketed by Convergent in the United States had peaked at more than 2,000, but

Sash-Scania AB is expected to show a decline in profit this year. the company president, Georg Karnsund, said at the annual meeting. Group pretax earnings for 1987 are forecast at 2.9 billion krosales in the United States were being affected by the weaker dollar.

Mitsui Osk Lines Ltd. said it had lion) in the year ending March 31, Nissho Iwai Corp., Mitsubishi Oct. 31. Sony has changed its fi-heavy Industries Ltd., and Nippon nancial year to end on March 31.

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at current levels, a spokesman said. Profits were 36.45 billion yen in the last full fiscal year, which ended

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The agenda for this reconvened Meeting will be the agenda for the meeting as originally convened, specifically: 1. Report of the Management. 2. Election of seven Managing Directors.
The Chairman of the Management p

The Chairman of the Management proposes the re-election of the following seven existing Managing Directors: Edward C. Johnson 3d William L. Byrnes

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3. Approval of the Balance Sheet and Profit and Loss Statement for the liscal year ended November 30, 1986.

4. Ratification of actions taken by the Managing Directors since the last Annual Assembly of Shareholdera, including payment of an interim dividend in respect of the fiscal year ended November 30, 1986 and authorization of the Managing Directors to declare additional dividends in respect of fiscal 1986 if necessary to enable the Fund to qualify for "distributor" status under United Kingdom tax law.

3. Partification of entires taken by the Investment Manager since the last Ratification of actions taken by the Investment Manager since the last Annual General Assembly of Shareholders.

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All proxies (and certificates of deposit issued to bearer shareholders) must be received by the Corporation not later than 1:00 p.m. on May 29, 1987, in order to be used at the Meeting.

By order of the Management Charles T. M. Collis

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"There is a basic flaw in the way

tradition USX can afford to keep.

they relate to their employees,

said John H. Kirkwood, the former

vice president of labor relations at

Jones & Laughlin Steel Corp., which is now called LTV Steel.

"How are you going to realize the

projected savings from new equip-

ment when the people who work on

that equipment don't have the in-

For their part, USX's leaders in-

going to see some very substantial

morovement," said Thomas C.

Graham, president of USS, the

steel subsidiary of USX. "The peri-

od of turnaround actually has al-

Mr. Graham has his share of

believers on Wall Street, USX's

losses in steel are expected to total

as much as \$200 million this year.

largely because of the shutdown.

But some analysts predict that the

steel business, and the company as

a whole, will be solidly profitable in

George J. Gaspar, an analyst at Robert W. Baird & Co. in Milwau-

kee, believes that the steel unit will

make a respectable \$250 million to

\$360 million next year. Two-thirds

USX is clearly far leaner now

Since the end of the labor dis-

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United Steelworkers allow USX to

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Dollar Advances in N.Y., Europe

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches NEW YORK - The dollar advanced sharply Thursday, but the gains were trimmed by the close in New York when anticipated strong Japanese bidding on the U.S. Treasury's 30-year bond auction appar-

eatly did not materialize.

The 30-year bond is the critical sale," one bond trader said. "That is the traditional favorite of the Japanese and other foreign invesiors and determines if foreigners will continue to invest here despite the weaker dollar."

In New York, the dollar closed at 1.7790 Deutsche marks, up from 1,7675 at Wednesday's close; at 139.20 yen, up from 138.85; at 159515 French francs, up from 9155, and at 1.4608 Swiss francs. up from 1.4510.

lower against the dollar at \$1.6785, compared with \$1,6870.

The final, and critical, leg of the Treasury's three-day, \$29 billion refunding auction — \$9.25 billion of 30-year bonds - was sold Thursday at an average yield of

bond was trading on the when-

M-1 Increased

\$1.3 Billion in

NEW YORK - M-1, the

narrowest measure of the U.S.

money supply, rose \$1.3 billion

to a seasonally adjusted \$758 billion in the week ended April

27, the Federal Reserve said

el was revised to \$756.7 billion from \$757 billion. The four-

week moving average of M-1 rose to \$749.2 billion from \$744.5 billion.

Economists' predictions for M-1 had ranged from a fall of

\$7 billion to a rise of \$300 mil-

lion. The average forecast was for a \$2.2 billion decrease.

M-1 includes cash in circula-

tion and checking accounts and nonbank traveler's checks.

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London Dollar Rates 1,7715 1.6790 139.35 1.4605 5.3445

issued market at 8.62 percent, the equivalent of more than I point in price above the actual yield 8.76 percent yield. The yield had risen to 8.69 percent late in the day,

Dealers attributed the dollar's early rise to the lower bond yield, which signaled to the market that Japanese investors were bidding well on the auction.

The first two sales - \$10 billion The British pound also closed of three-year notes Tuesday and \$9.75 billion of 10-year notes Wednesday -- were relatively weak and had intensified concerns that Japanese investors, who bought one-third of last quarter's 30-year bond offering, would stay away this time because of the weak dol-

The dollar had firmed earlier in Earlier in the day, however, the Europe, supported by short-cover-

The dollar rose in London to 1.7782 DM marks from 1.7715 at Wednesday's close, and to 139.35 ven from 139.05. The British pound fell to \$1.6790 from \$1.6870 against the dollar.

Sterling remained mostly steady in Europe after opening down, as buyers saw the early lows as a cheap buying opportunity, dealers said. However, they added that nervousness about the outcome of Thursday's local election curbed buying interest.

On its trade-weighted index, the pound closed at 73.6 percent of its 1975 value against a basket of currencies, 0.1 point lower than Wednesday's close.

Dealers said it appeared that the Bank of England had not sold sterling Thursday, unlike Wednesday when it was reported to be actively holding the pound down.

In other European trading, the dollar was fixed in Frankfurt at 1.7738 DM, down from 1.7769, and in Paris at 5.9318 French francs. down from 5.9385.

It closed in Zurich at 1.4620

Bank of Japan Buys Bills to Lower Rates

Agence France-Presse

TOKYO — The Bank of Ja-pan, the country's central bank, bought commercial bills Thursday worth 400 billion yen (\$2.87 billion) in an effort to guide short-term interest rates down-

sist that the years of staggering ward, financial sources said. losses and problems of competing The move fulfills the pledge against foreign steelmakers are made last week by Prime Minisnearing an end. By next year, they say, the company will be highly profitable, and foreign steelmakers will be worrying about competing with USX. "Over the next year or so we're

The two leaders thus hope to help boost Japan's domestic demand for foreign goods and, in conjunction with a rise in U.S. interest rates, stabilize the yen-

billion yen Wednesday.

ter Yasuhiro Nakasone of Japan when he told President Ronald Reagan in Washington that Japan would try to push short-term interest rates lower.

dôllar exchange rate. In providing liquidity to the money market, the bank bought two-month bills with an interest

rate of 3.81 percent, the sources said. It reportedly bought cer-tificates of deposit totaling 100

ing before the bond auction. 30-Year Bond Gets Modest Demand

WASHINGTON - Investors U.S. Treasury's anction of 30-year bonds Thursday, analysts said, as the government completed a \$29 billion quarterly refunding that has York, where the large U.S. and forbeen scrutinized for chies to the direction of the dollar and U.S.

The sale of \$9.275 billion worth around the country. of 30-year bonds produced an average 8.76 percent yield, the highest

such rate since February 1986. Some dealers said they were surprised, however, by reports that Japanese investors might have bought as much as 40 percent of the

The average yield matched recent expectations, and secondary market bond prices closed slightly when issued trading Wednesday, auctions.
the bonds had yielded 8.72 percent.
There were \$20.207 billion in and pension fund managers were

bids, of which the Treasury accept- particularly concerned. The dol-

ed \$9.275. This kept the ratio for all lar's plunge alone over the past two three auctions at slightly better years had eroded the gains they howed lukewarm interest in the than 2-1, generally considered a sign of only modest demand.

the bids were submitted from New percent yield on the 30-year bond at least \$650 million in 1988. eign investment banks are based, which reflected only moderate demand from the ultimate investors

The highest rate that the Treasury had to accept was 8.77 percent, only slightly above the average rate. Sales earlier this week of three-

and 10-year notes also produced a cool response, confirming predic-tions that the faltering dollar and fears of resulting inflation --would drive U.S. interest rates higher. As a result, investors were higher in late afternoon trading. In demanding higher returns at the

have made on their purchases. of USX's business is in oil and gas

Some Japanese insurance execu- and with the oil price now stable, 139 ven currently.

a semi-annual 8.75 percent interest rate, sold at an average price of 99.895, with 100 representing the face value on a \$1,000 bond.

Also, roughly \$18.676 billion of tives had predicted that an 8.75 Mr. Gaspar looks for USX to earn would be the minimum needed to attract buyers, especially because than it was before the shutdown many investors believed the dollar began in August. could fall to 135 yen or lower from The 30-year bond, which will pay year of steelmaking capacity. Pro-visions in its new contract with the

> In February's quarterly auction, the 30-year bond brought a 7.49 percent yield. At the February 1986 auction, the average yield was 9.28

notes for an average 7.91 percent 8.52 percent.

Seoul Opens a Model Mill

SEOUL - South Korea's government-run Pohang Iron and Steel Co. opened an ultramodern integrated steel mill Thursday, boosting the country's steel-making capacity to 17.5 million metric tons (19.25) short tons), the seventh-largest among Western nations.

Just two years ago, before launching its controversial plan to expand the steel industry. Pohang ranked 15th in capacity.

"The new mill is the most advanced steel plant in the world," a company spokesman said. "We can produce steel at lower prices than

The mill at Kwangyang, on the south coast, uses continuous casting and robots for an annual capacity of 2.7 million tons. It cost \$1.95 billion, and the company plans to build two similar mills, one also at Kwangyang by 1991.

South Korea is now 85 percent self-sufficient in meeting demand for steel from its car, machinery, shipbuilding and construction

In response to criticism that the new plants would add to overcapacity in the steel industry worldwide, officials said that domestic demand would grow 10 to 15 percent annually, outstripping produc-

cantly below the six-hour average from the market during the labor for the American steel industry. American steelmakers, USS is at a for market share once USX repoint now where they come the turned, many customers refrained closest" to the Japanese in efficien- from buying steel. cy. said Charles A. Bradford, an

analyst at Merrill Lynch & Co.

dispute was a key reason why steel When you look at all of the prices rose. Anticipating a battle Since then, the pent-up demand

has kept American steelmakers Finally, steel prices have been busy and prices firm. But with steel rising. The price of one key product consumption expected to total only

'Of all American steelmakers, U.S. Steel is

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- Charles A. Bradford, Merrill Lynch analyst

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cent higher than a year ago. Still, if USX's leaders have convinced some on Wall Street that all In an industry where a \$25-a-ton of the indicators are promising, just swing in the price of flat-rolled as many other industry experts steel can spell the difference benote that USX's hopes for the future are still just that: hopes. Given what USX has recently

gone through -a takeover attempt by Carl C. Icahn, the Wall Street financier, and the labor shutdown that caused it to lose \$1.83 billion On Tuesday, the government than \$500 million in the last two last year — the future cannot be auctioned \$10 billion of three-year years — USX has dramatically immuch worse than the past. But as proved its productivity. While it more cautious observers point out, yield, followed on Wednesday with took the company 10 man-hours to that does not mean that prosperity \$9.77 billion of 10-year notes at produce a ton of steel in 1983, it is necessarily around the corner.

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Any cost advantage that USX January 1985 and May 1986. might now enjoy may also prove short-lived. Two major competitors, LTV Steel Co. and Wheeling-Pittsburgh Steel Corp., are using their bankruptcy reorganizations to siash costs and may emerge even more efficient than USX, according to analysts. A significant weakening of the steel market could also For one thing, USX's absence force financially troubled Bethle-

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USX: Steelmaker Is Leaner, but Rivals and Labor Troubles Cloud Its Future hem Steel Corp. to seek bankruptcy protection, enabling it to cut costs.

With all of its problems and uncertainties, USX is foolish not to make peace with its workers, said both Mr. Kirkwood, the former Jones & Laughlin executive, and F. Kenneth Iverson, the head of Nucor Corp., a steelmaker noted for cooperation between labor and

management. USX leaders, however, do not appear to have any great desire to

change their ways.
"We have tried to be responsible and sensitive to our employees." said Mr. Graham, the president of USX's steel unit. Although relations with the union are less than cordial, those with workers are "excellent," he said.

That is not what United Steelworkers officials or most others in the steel industry say.

USX's drive to improve productivity, along with cutbacks that took more than 6,000 hourly workers off the payroll in the four years preceding the shutdown, have taken a toll on morale.

With smaller work crews and longer shifts, employees complain that they are paying a steep price for USX's gains in productivity.

The number of accidents and serious burns at the Gary plant, for instance, rose to 38 in 1985 from 4 in 1984, according to Mr. Regan and other union officials. The deaths last year of two steelworkers were a direct result of the smaller crew sizes, Mr. Regan said. The workers were trapped by seeping argon gas while completing a maintenance job.

USX executives strongly deny that safety has been compromised. Not only do company statistics show that injuries have declined. they say, but the number of serious accidents is lower than the industry

Still, the federal Occupational Safety and Health Administration fined USX earlier this year for failing to report 98 injuries between

USX leaders are pressing ahead with their traditional way of improving efficiency and product and installing new equipment. USX began operating its second

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THE LAMBERTS: George, Constant and Kit, by Andrew Motion, Farrar, Straus & Giroux, 19

Union Square West, New York, N. Y. 10003. Be regular and orderly in your life like a

bourgeois. Flaubert declared once, "so that

you may be violent and original in your work." Of course, for all the artists who have tried to

make such discipline a cornerstone of their

creative lives, there remain those who have sought to embrace what Rimbaud called the "systematic derangement of the senses." And the image of the self-destructive artist retains a

powerful place in our cultural mythology, not

only gratifying our more romantic yearnings but also assuaging the puritan in us by providing a sort of object lesson in the costs and consequences of careless living.

With the Lamberts, Andrew Motion — an

accomplished poet, critic and editor in Britain
—has found three generations of a family that
embody that lesson while also embracing a century of cultural ferment. Though publicity for the book has dwelled on the sensationalistic

aspects of the Lamberts' story, the volume on

the whole is sympathetic rather than voyeuris-

tic in tone. In fact, in telling this story of talent and loss and missed connections, this story of

wayward fathers and damaged sons, Motion has succeeded in producing both an exemplary family biography and an absorbing social his-

While few Americans may be familiar with

the Lamberts, their wit and charm combined

with their membership in certain high-living

social circles have given them considerable visibility in England, and as Motion argues in

this book, their artistic contributions - while

never scaling the heights of greatness — played an influential and often underestimated role in

George Lambert (1873-1930), Motion points

cut, became "the most famous Australian painter of his dy" and in his later years "the keeper of Australia's artistic conscience." His

son Constant (1905-1951) became a respected

composer during the 1920s, an early and out-spoken exponent of jazz and an influential force in English ballet. And Constant's son,

Kit (1935-1981), while somewhat more of an

entrepreneur than an artist, discovered and

then managed the enormously successful rock

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"Tommy." /Michiko Kakutani, NYT)

NEXON: The Education of a Politician 1913-

1962 by Stephen E. Ambrose. Simon & Schuster, 1230 Avenue of the Americas, New York.

The first thing you notice is the lack of psychohistory in Stephen E. Ambrose's transfixing biography. "Nixon: The Education of a Politician 1913-1962." which takes the former

president from birth to the notorious "last

president from birth to the notorious "last press conference" ("You won't have Nixon to kick around anymore.") held after his loss of the California gubernatorial contest in 1962.

What with Bruce Mazlish's "In Search of Nixon: A Psychohistorical Inquiry." David Abrahamsen's "Nixon vs. Nixon: An Emotional Tragedy," and Fawn M. Brodie's "Richard Nixon: The Shaping of His Character." there has been so much probing of the Nixos, psyche in the last 15 years that you expect at least a little Oedipal conflict from the most detailed work on Nixon to date.

But Ambrose—a biographer of Dwight D. Eisenhower and a professor of history at the University of New Orleans—isn't serving up any. No survival guilt over the death of the two

any. No survival guilt over the death of the two brothers. No signs of self-abasement connect-ed to the document signed, "Your good dog.

Richard," which, Ambrose asserts, can't in any

case be established as "a genuine letter to his

mother."

By knitting together the most colorful strands from all the previous published works by and about his subject, Ambrose has managed to surpass the vividness of any one of them, even Nixon's own highly fascinating, if self-serving, autobiographical work, "Six Crises."

(Christopher Lehmann-Haupt, NYT)

TRUST ME: Short Stories, by John Updike.

lection of stories - his 10th counting the two

Henry Bech books and the two paperback

originals, "Olinger Stories, a Selection" and "Too Far to Go: The Maples Stories." Insofar as the title "Trust Me" is Updike's personal

command to us readers, we certainly can trust

once and pull yards of multicolored silk hand-

kerchiefs from a single tiny thimble. In "Un-stuck," a young wife and husband engaged in

getting their car out of a snowdrift achieve in

their joint effort the climax of cooperation that had cluded them the night before. In "Learn a Trade," a highly successful scrap-iron sculptor, Fegley, realizes the truth of his father's warn-

ing, "Get a solid trade, and then you can fool around with this artsy-craftsy stuff." And as

always with Updike's writing, there is the dazzling variety of perception to which his restless

and inquisitive imagination transports him. Best of all, his talent for ultrafine observation

has taken on more muscle. There is less writing

for writing's sake here. The proportion of prose

The least of these 22 stories catch our eyes at

him - we are in very good hands.

Alfred A. Knopf, 201 East 50th Street, New 5 York, N. V. 10022.

TRUST ME" is John Updike's latest col-

By Alan Truscott WHEN the declarer holds to know whether tricks by leading to the heart ace, ruffing a heart and ruffing a chib. The ending was this:

If you have the spade suit shown in the diagram and you are using it to gain entry to your hand, the king is normally right. That will leave the opponents unsure about the position of the queen.

If you are leading the suit form the closed hand, the queen is ususally the best choice, for a reason illustrated by the diagramed deal. The occasion was the recent National Louis, and JoAnne Casen of Manhattan, sitting South, arrived in five diamonds.

She ruffed the second club lead and led the spade queen.

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Dutch Seek Solutions as Soccer Riots Grow

By Peter Maass

ol Herold Tribune UTRECHT, Netherlands — The not at the soccer match in March between Den Hang and Ajax, two of the best teams in the Netherlands, was cerily familiar. It started with shouts being exchanged by rival fans, escalated into bottles being hurled and evolved into a vicious battle that left scores of

The fighting did not degenerate into a fatal replay of the May 1985 not at Heysel Stadium in Brussels, which left 39 persons dead. But it add vividly show that soccer viosence, largely viewed as a British affliction, has infected one of Western Europe's most prosperous and permissive societies.

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"A while back we would yell, I'm going to knock you down, said Jan van den Heilegenberg, a one-time hooligan who is cooperating in an innovative police program here. "Now they yell, 'I'm going to kill you. If the police didn't intervene, there would be many victims, many deaths."

and generous welfare had, until re- of the National Consultative Comcently, helped mold Holland into a relatively tranquil nation. But that is rapidly changing: violent crime is increasing automobile thefts are soaring and even bicycles, the symbol of the pleasant Dutch society, are being stolen.

Hooliganism ranks as the newest and most disturbing element of the social unrest. However, it is markedly different from the British brand in that, experts say, it stems from a trend toward youth alien-ation that is only partly linked to lice force.

high unemployment and that is un-related to far-right politics.

An experimental pass system, to the fan club trains or buses. The officers openly act as mediators be-Sociological studies show that quire fans to purchase a national tween the fans and authorities in most of the 800 Dutch youths aridentification card that will permit other towns, helping to arrange

rested at soccer matches last season them to buy a ticket and enter a such things as food and beverage came from stable, middle-class stadium. Youths arrested for hooli-sales. families, that they went to school or had a job, and had no previous fiscated and won't be able to attend who they are and where they live." arrest record. However, it appears, any more matches.

The football match is a way Netherlands are not optimistic. with them.

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for them "to get prestige, it's a "This is only a short-term ap-special occasion to show who they proach," said Mr. Sterk. "We have mittee on Football Hooliganism. lence. "This is not just a problem for the police or courts. This is a problem for the whole society."

The Dutch authorities are employing a mixture of traditional with the problem.

On the traditional side, crackalthough with limited success; the makers.

Den Haag-Ajax riot in March m-

A mixture of understated wealth are," said Maurice Sterk, a member to do something about the reasons and generous welfare had, until reof the National Consultative Comwhy the hooligans commit vio-

Then there is an innovative and widely praised program designed by Martin van Bochove, a police inspector in Utrecht. His plan is to matic Dutch way, is now asking bring the police into informal conclub owners to offer discount tickand unorthodox methods to deal tact with soccer fans, so that the ets to the parents and girl friends of police can gain the trust of fans and potential hooligans. attempt to moderate their behavior downs by the police are increasing, while singling out the real trouble-

For every match the Utrecht folded despite a heavy show of po- team plays away from home, six situation where it is not normal to officers in plain clothes travel on use violence

said Mr. van Bochove. Because these disaffected youths are in-creasingly seeking meaning in see-system has had some success in or have jobs, he added, "they have parts of Britain, authorities in the something to lose, so you can talk

> This program has its flaws - at one of the Utrecht team's away game, Mr. van Bochove was caught in a clash between fans and police and received some nasty blows on his back by an officer - but on the other hand, Mr. van Bochove has scored some notable coups in the annals of crowd control. Faced with a high-risk match in Rotterdam earlier this year, he convinced several hundred Utrecht fans, waiting at the train station, to forgo the trip and instead watch the game on a large television screen in the de-

The violence by Utrecht fans has fallen sharply since his program began two years ago, and police officials from other cities now seek Mr. van Bochove's advice. Still, the situation remains unstable, so Mr. van Bochove, in a typically prag-

serted stadium in Utrecht.

"You have to bring back an integration between young fans and old fans, boys and girls." Mr. van Bochove said. "You must create a



DOUBLE TROUBLE - Top-seeded Boris Becker of West Germany leaped at a chance to overcome Juan Avendano of Spain, 7-6, 5-7, 6-2, for his second victory Wednesday in the Tournament of Champions in New York. But third-seeded Tim Mayotte of the United States lost, 5-7. 7-6, 6-2, to Pavel Voitisek of West Germany.

kee, where the Celtics were 0-3 this ert Parish got 24 and Johnson 21.

ton Garden while tying an NBA up center Bill Walton, who has had record of 14 straight playoff vic- a history of foot problems, began

ton with 30 points each, while Rob-

Forward Kevin McHale, hobbled

bench to score 12 points. But back-

limping in the first half, played only 11 minutes and got but two

Rookie, Aguilera Help Mets Beat Reds

NEW YORK - Rookie third baseman Dave Magadan went three-for-three batting Wednesday Diego, rookie Joe Magrane pitched night, driving in one run and score a four-hitter, all singles, for his first ing another as the New York Mets complete game and St. Louis right ended a three-game losing streak fielder Curt Ford made leaping by beating the Cincinnati Reds, 3- catch to rob Luis Salazar of a 2 and Rick Aguilera improved to homer in the eighth. Magrane did 3-1 on a very effective forkball. not allow a runner past first base.

league high with nine strikeouts in ton's ninth. eight innangs. "He was tailing it Orioles 6, Twins 0: In the Ameriaway. It looked like something new can League, in Minneapolis. Scott in his repertoire."

Nos. 3 and 4 hitters — Parker and ground balls. Eric Davis — before Buddy Bell Yankees 4. Eric Davis — before Buddy Bell Yankees 4, White Sox 1: In Chiextended his hitting streak to 12 cago, Rick Rhoden pitched New york's second straight two-hitter. ished up for his National League- walked three and struck out six.

and Orel Hershiser, who won with walked four in seven innings. a seven-hitter.

The Dodgers hit only five balls not only lost their third in a row but out of the infield and both runs were were shut out in consecutive games unearned. Reuschel, who gave up six for the first time since 1981. hits and leads the NL with a 1.68 Red Sox 6, Athletics 2: In Bos-

co. Jody Davis homered twice and the league RBI lead with 27. Bird and Danny Ainge led Bos-

by a sprained ankle, came off the

lowed only seven hits and Vance baller Phil Niekro. Law homered for Montreal. Tim Raines, who is batting .450 in five City, Missouri, Hal McRae, the 41games since re-signing with the Ex- year-old player-coach, and Juan pos as a free agent on May I, had two hits and drove in a run.

BASEBALL ROUNDUP

"I had never seen that pitch be-fore." the Reds' Dave Parker said after the right-hander gave up eight field single scored Jose Cruz from hits, walked one and tied his major third base with two out in Hous-

his repertoire. McGregor pitched a three-hitter Aguilera threw three wild pitches, for Baltimore and Cal Ripken hit a one allowing a run, in the first three three-run homer. McGregor, who innings. In the eighth, he yielded entered the game with an ERA of leadoff singles to Kal Daniels and 5.10. struck out one and walked Kurt Stillwell, but struck out the three, getting most of his outs on

the score 3-2. Aguilera then struck both singles in the early innings, and out Bo Diaz, and Jesse Orosco fin- Gary Ward drove two runs. Rhoden

beading seventh save.

Dodgers 2, Pirates 1: In Los Angels 3, Brewers 0: In Milwaukee, Mike Witt and DeWayne
geles, Bill Madlock's infield single
scored Mariano Duncan with the
and Jack Howell hit a bases-empty run that beat Pittsburgh in a pitch-homer as California won its fourth ing duel between Rick Reuschel straight. Witt struck out nine and

The Brewers, after a 13-0 start.

ERA, has lost four straight to the ton, Mike Greenwell's three-run Dodgers since June 1981, and is still homer in the seventh beat Oakland. looking for his first victory at Dodg- Greenwell is 11 for 21 with 12 RBI er Stadium since August 1977. in six games as a replacement for Cubs 9, Giants 4: In San Francis-injured left fielder Jim Rice. Tigers 7, Mariners 5: In Detroit,

scored three times for Chicago, Darrell Evans, Kirk Gibson and while Andre Dawson drove in to Matt Nokes homered to help beat runs to tie the Reds' Eric Davis for Seattle and end a four-game losing

The East-leading Cubs have 14 Rangers 7, Indians 2: In Arling-thomers in their last six games and ton, Texas, Pete Incaviglia, Larry have outhomered the opposition, Parrish and Pete O'Brien homered 38-15, in 26 games. They also are 6- to back Charlie Hough's eight-hit 0 in night games this year.

Expos 6, Braves 2: In Atlanta, Cleveland nine straight times, struck Brvn Smith and three relievers alout six in defeating fellow knuckle-

Royals 6. Blue Jays 3: In Kansas Beniquez each drove in two runs against Toronto. (UPI, AP)

Canadiens Rout Flyers

PHILADELPHIA - The Montreal Canadiens, the National Hockey League's top defensive team, played their usual tight-checking game Wednesday night en route to a 5-2 victory over the Philadelphia Flyers and a 1-1 tie in their Stanley Cup playoff.
The best-of-seven Wales Confer-

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ence final is to resume Friday night with the third game in Montreal.

"Our defense got us going," said center Bobby Smith, who had a goal and an assist for the defending

The defense-to-offense transition worked perfectly on Smith's firstperiod goal, off an excellent cross-ice pass from Claude Lemieux. Lemieux circled the net from right to left before passing to Smith, stand-ing alone to the left of goalie Ron Hextall. Smith slammed the puck into the open side of the net at 11:38 for his seventh playoff goal.

That was the only goal of the first period, but the Canadiens put the game away on second-period scores by Brian Skrudland. John Kordic and Lemieux, as they rebounded from a 4-3 overtime loss le Canadiens' goalie, Brian Hay-ward, made 21 saves, 5 during a



Bill Walton, the Celtics' backup center, got a ball away from the Bucks' Paul Mokeski but later limped off court.

The third game of the series is to be played Friday night in Milwau-

Celtics Hold Off Bucks, 126-124, Tie Mark of 14 Straight Playoff Victories

NBA PLAYOFFS

season. But they are 5-0 at home

against the Bucks, and Wednesday

night won their 33d straight in Bos-

tories at home. The record was set

by the 1949-51 Minneapolis Lakers.

BOSTON - Dennis Johnson and Fred Roberts each made two free throws in the game's last 29 seconds Wednesday night to give the Boston Celties a 126-124 victory over the Milwaukee Bucks and a 2-0 lead in the best-of-seven Eastern Conference semifinal of the National Basketball Association playoffs.

Milwaukee had tied at 122 on Sidney Moncrief's two foul shots with 43 seconds left. Johnson then drove the lane and was fouled by Jack Sikma, his free throws making it 124-122 with 29 seconds to go.

Milwaukee's Paul Pressey followed with a drive to the basket, but when three Celtics converged on him he missed the shot and the Celtics' Larry Bird rebounded the ball with 14 seconds to play. Terry Cummings was forced to

foul Roberts, who sank his two free throws with six seconds left. Sikma's basket, with three seconds left, accounted for the final margin. Although the Bucks had nearly done what no team has in almost five months — beat the Celtics in

matter how close we play." "They played extremely well and played well," said Pressey. "Ex-

treme is the difference." The third game of the series is to

It also was the Celtics' ninth rebounds and no points. straight triumph, the last five in the Milwaukee was led by Cum-

SPORTS BRIEFS

5 Spectators Injured at Rally AJACCIO, Corsica (AFP) - One spectator was seriously injured Thursday when hit by the Renault 5 GT turbo driven

by François Orsini during the opening stage of the Tour of Corsica world championship rally and four were slightly hurt when hit by the Open Manta of Guy Fiori. The Tour of Corsica has been marred by tragedy. Attilio Bettega of Italy died instantly in 1985 when his Lancia 037

Oxford Crew Gets U.S. President

OXFORD. England (AFP) — Chris Penny, one of the five Americans involved in Oxford University's rowing controversy this year, has been elected president of the boat club.

Penny, dropped from the Oxford crew five weeks before its victory over Cambridge, was elected Wednesday night. He beat out Tom Cadoux-Hudson, one of the oarsmen promoted to replace the Americans, by a vote of 27-17 in a secret ballot of college boat club captains and resident blues.

Penny replaced Donald Macdonald, who dropped the Americans and nominated Cadoux-Hudson for president.

Capote Back in Bonus Field

LOUISVILLE. Kentucky (AP) — Triple Crown Productions has reversed its stand and declared Capote still eligible for the new \$1 million bonus for horses running in all three legs of the Triple Crown, even though jockey Angel Cordero

breds in contention for the bonus because they crossed the derby finish line; prerace favorite Demons Begone was pulled up in the backstretch after bleeding badly.

system, with Alysheba now having five points, Bet Twice two and Avies Copy one. Points will be assigned in similar fashion for the Preakness Stakes and the Belmont Stakes.

For the Record

The Appellate Division of the New York State Supreme Court voted, 5-0, to uphold a lower court decision against an injunction, clearing the way for the Michael Spinks-Gerry Cooney heavyweight fight on June 15.

1,000 Miles Into the Past

By Steve Potter New York Times Service

NEW YORK - Phil Hill drove a Ferrari to the Formula One title in 1961.
This month, at the age of 60, he is to be This month, at the age of 60, he is to be behind the wheel of a 1952 Alfa Romeo Disco Volante for a nostalgia-tinged tribute to one of the most venerated auto races in history, the Mille Miglia. Run 24 times between 1927 and

1957, Italy's 1,000-mile open-road sports-car race rivaled the Indianapolis 500, the Le Mans 24 hours and the со Спаво упу гог пиропавск

and prestige on the international motor sports calendar. The race, which started and finished in the northern Italian industrial city of Brescia, circled the Italian boot, running on highways that

were temporarily closed to the public. "It captured the imagination of the entire population of Italy," Hill recalled recently. "The Mille Miglia brought the racing to the people. Almost everyone could find his way to a road to watch the cars go by."

Hill, who won the title 17 years before Mario Andretti became the second U.S. world champion, said he regretted never having driven in the Mille Miglia. It was canceled after an accident 30 years ago that killed the Marquis de Portago, his American co-driver, Edward Nelson, and more than a dozen spectators. That 1957 race, won by Piero Taruffi in a Ferrari, effectively marked the end of the cross-country road-racing era of auto racing. In the past decade street races have become popular, but these are run on temporary circuits of a mile or so, lined with concrete barriers protecting the spectators, not the single huge lap of a country

that characterized events like the Mille Miglia. In 1982, the Musical Watch Veteran Car Club of Brescia organized the first revival of the Mille Miglia, not as a race but as a timed rally for vintage competition cars built during the 30-year span of the race's existence. Martin Swig, a San Francisco car dealer, and John Lamm, a journalist, were the only Americans in the rally that year, sharing an Alfa Romeo 1900. Swig, who is also among this year's U.S. entourage of 52, recalled the 80-mph (129 kph) police escorts they received through the towns along the way, and the response of the spectators that year. "It was total pandemonium, but in the end it all worked out OK. When we stopped, people would crowd around our car, reaching in to touch us. We were treated like visiting astronauts or the pope."

Stirling Moss set the speed record for the Mille Miglia in 1955, driving a Mercedes-Benz 300 SLR to victory in 10 hours 7 minutes 48 seconds, an average of nearly 100 mph. Last year, Moss drove a Maserati 200 S, but this time it took 2½ days, including time for meals and overnight hotel stays along the route.

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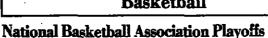
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By Russell Baker

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Dear President Reagan: Thank you for the beautiful brochures. There is an old Japanese saying: "Those who say America can't produce anything worth looking at have never seen its brochures." I have passed them to my market experts for study. In the meantime, let me assure you that Nakasone is my last name. With your usual infallible insunct, you are absolutely right about Japanese customs differing from the Chinese. Yasuhiro is my first name, and being familiar with your great American custom of calling utter strangers by their first names, I should be deeply honored if you would call me Yasuhiro.

Yours in gratitude, etc.

Dear Yasuhiro: Your letter and beautiful stateof-the-art TV and VCR machines arrived the same day. Nancy wanted me to send them right back with thanks. No way could we be caught at this moment in history with the latest Japanese miracle in the White House, she said, I agreed until I tried a cassette tape of "Brother Rat" on the VCR. Talk about quality! I have never seen the seen to the said, "Those flying Edsels? Surely you joke, prime minister." You see how it is. Ron. We are better picture quality. No way will I a primitive people. let politics part me from equipment like that. Have you ever seen "Brother Rat"? It is not great, but

it has some fine work in it. Yours for greater viewing, etc. P.S. Yasuhiro is a mouthful. Do you mind if I shorten it and call you Yaz"? There used to be a great TV series called "Yaz." By the way, to you I'm "Ron" from now on, OK?

Dear Ron:

My experts examining the brochures are most impressed by the incredibly beautiful thermonuclear bomb. "So far beyond our capacity to build that it makes us look pathetic," their report said. I am told. however, that its only use is to prevent it from ever being used. As we Japanese are still a primitive people, I fear few people will pay such startling prices for a product that exists solely to prevent itself from being used.

Thanks for sending the video ussette of "Brother Rat." The title had led me to expect a humdinger of a thriller on the order of a Godzilla movie, but disappointment was diminished by the pleasure of seeing my old friend Ron playing a Sincerely yours, etc. college lad. Next time could you send some of the old early Cagney flicks, which are almost as hard to find in Tokyo as they are in Ameri-

> Yours in awe, etc. P.S. "Yaz" was a great baseball player, not a great TV series.

Dear Yaz: I knew "Yaz" had something to do with a series, and you're right. Nancy says it wasn't a TV series, it was the World Series.

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Your pal in commerce, etc. Dear pal Ron:

Looking over your brochures again, I told my Committee On Keeping Competition Out Of Japan that maybe we could take a few

Thanks for the "G-Men" with Cagney. What a lousy colorizing job. We will soon have a process that will not make all the actors look embalmed.

Regretfully, etc. Dear Yaz:

What's an Edsel? Your pal. etc. New York Times Service

Sidney Poitier: **Back to Acting**

By Aljean Harmetz New York Times Service

S AN DIEGO — Sidney Politier was, for a long time, the only black man in a rarefied white world: He was Hollywood's one black movie star. Now, at 60, after a 10-year absence from the screen, he is once again acting in a movie. It is a measure of how things have changed that the role he is playing in "Little Nikita" was written for a white man.

There was a time, he said recently, "when it was difficult manageable but difficult - to be the only black actor of prominence in films."

"It invited an excruciating sense of responsibility," he said, "To be the only black person on the entire MGM lot except for the shoeshine boy.'

Thirty-five years ago, when Poitier was, as he described himself, "a fairly naïve young black boy inventing himself," he "could not have imagined" a future in which a role would be given with-out regard to the color of his skin. But this is a time when a Lou Gossett, a Danny Glover, a Denzel Washington, a Bill Cosby, an Eddie Murphy and a Sidney Poitier can and are able to work at parts that they are suited to as personality forces," he said, with unmasked pride. "Nothing is hung on the ethnicity of the FBI agent I play in 'Little Nikita.' Whether he is played by Paul Newman or Jack Nicholson or Sidney Poitier will only be of significance in the kind of nuance and energy we as actors bring to it. There's not enough of this yet, but the beginning is very appreciated by me. It sure as hell is quite a satisfying time for me."

Pointer stopped acting 10 years ago to write his autobiography. "I thought there were times in my life in Hollywood that needed to be set down, because of its uniqueness," he said. It took him two years to write "This Life." There was no single reason why

the book was finished. "It became more and more difficult to go back because the kind of material Hollywood was offering even to gifted American actors - Red-ford, Newman, Hoffman - was not becoming to their stature," he said, referring to the emphasis on teen-age movies that followed the success of "Star Wars" and "Animal House." He did not need the money acting would bring because his agent, Martin Baum, had arranged for him to get a percentage of the profits from many of his films. "And I think he got bored," said his friend Leonard Goldberg, the president of 20th Century-Fox. "Sidney found the parts he was being offered were the same kinds of parts he

he did not return to acting when

Now Hollywood is once again wooing adult audiences, and Poitier is - he calls it serendipity starring in three movies back to back. He follows Columbia's "Little Nikita" with Disney's "In the Hall of the Mountain King" and another Columbia picture, "Hard Knox." They are action melodramas designed to make a profit but, he said, all three involve real relationships between

had already played."

The producer of "Little Nikita." Harry Gittes, needed a star but despaired of getting one because the emotional heart of the movie is the role played by River Phoenix, Poitier's 16-year-old costar,. "The kid owns the picture,"

The movie pits Poitier's FBI agent against the boy's parents, who are Soviet spies, while the boy is torn between his parents and his country. Like Jack Nicholson, who took the minor role of the retired astronaut in "Terms of Endearment, Poitier shrugged off the status games he could have played. "Some of the scenes were wonderfully well-drawn." he said by way of explaining his choice.
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Poitier (inset) in 1965 and with River Phoenix, right, on set of "Little Nikita." cess, just age makes them arro- he lied his way into the U.S. Army; who pretended to be crazy to get himself discharged nine gant," said River Phoenix, who played Harrison Ford's son in "The Mosquito Coast." "Mr. Poimonths later, who pretended to tier is secure but not haughty. be an actor and was humiliated The words that are used to de-

joke, "I'm afraid we're heading toward saint here." Yet the autobiography Pointer published seven years ago is at dds with both the real man and his celluloid image. Painstakingly and sometimes

awkwardly written, with no professional co-writer to smooth the language or dramatize the events, This Life" tells the story of a boy who never knew of the existence of indoor plumbing, ice cream. forks or electricity until he was 10 years old; who learned to drive by destroying a dozen cars in Miami

when a director at the American Negro Theater threw him out because of his thick Bahamian accent and his inability to read.

With fierce pride, Poitier spent six months learning to speak by mimicking American radio announcers and to read by studying American newspapers with an el-derly dishwasher as his tutor. When he went back to the Negro Theater still so unsophisticated that he auditioned by reading True Confessions magazine, he was taken on a three-month trial basis because 40 women and no

men had passed the audition. He seemed the most unlikely clay from which to fashion a superstar. Norman Jewison, who di-not make a living at it, but I know rected Poitier in "In the Heat of the Night," has one explanation: I do that for the next 10 years, I'll "He was unlike any other black be 70, and then I can sail around parking lots; who lived on the streets in New York until, at 16, actor in the '60s. It was the way he the world.'

carried himself. He had a dignity a pride. He wasn't shuffling. After years of psychoanalysis, two marriages and six children, be said he felt good about himself.

distinction to my father's name. He had no power, no influence except with his children. To be poor and black in the Bahamas was demeaning." He has no regrets about his 10year absence from the screen. "I didn't miss it," he said. "I would have missed it had I yet something to prove. I was ready to go into completely new things. At 46. I started tennis. I learned to ski at 50." He has finished 200 pages of a novel in which the principal

character is a metallurgist. "I may

I can produce books," he said. "If

Vladimir Nabokov was given to waspish comments on his fellow, Russian writers, letters by him re-"better now than ever in my life, vealed. Although admiring the po-etry of Boris Pasternak, Nabokov principally because I did somedescribed Pasternak's novel "Dr. thing that was terribly important to me, to give some measure of Zhivago" as "morbid, giftless, phony and entirely anti-liberal." He said the prose of Alexander Solzhenitsyn, author of "The Gulag Archipelago." was "even weaker" than that of Pasternak. Nabokov

PEOPLE

White House Swamped

With Doonesbury Calls

The White House switchboard was swamped Thursday when the

Doonesbury cartoon strip showed

a caricature of President Ronald

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Call this number on your screen. The number is that of the main White House switchboard. The White House responded by giving out the number of the syndicate that distributes Doonesbury.

Chris Bonington said Wednesday, his climbing team recently discover

ered a creature's footprints in snow on an unscaled Himalayan peak,

again raising questions about the existence of a "Yeti," or Abomina-

ble Snowman. Bonington, 52, said his five-man British-Norwegian

team photographed the footprints at about 16,000 feet (5,000 meters)

up the 23.237-foot Menglungue. The photographs have not yet been

developed he said. His climbing colleague, Jim Fotheringham, 34,

said the prints "were foot-shaped, hand-sized and measuring about 7

by 4 inches (17 by 10 centimeters).

The two men returned to Britain Wednesday after an unsuccessful

attempt to conquer the peak.

made the comments in letters to the critic Gleb Strave, who had been a friend since their student days in England. Nabokov died in 1977. The letters will be auctioned by Sotheby's in London May 21. Minnesota Fats, the 74-year-old

billiards player whose real name is Rudolf W. Wanderone, has agreed to pay \$48,402 in taxes and civil penalties for underreporting his income and claiming improper business expenses in 1979 and 1980, ar-IRS spokeswoman said.

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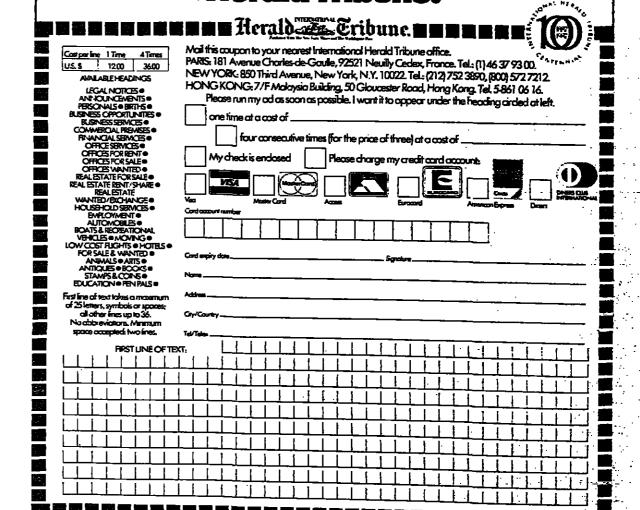
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